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Bombay Castle

Also read the Committee of Surveys Report of one Hundred seven (107) Serviceable Gunn Carriages & Mortar Beds, & entered hereafter agreeable to which, they are considered the Materials ordered to be appropriated for our Fortifications & Service as there can be most useful

The President represents to the Board in consequence of having seen the Widow Bell & Papers given in to the Executors, he has been drawn here merely by his Recommendation & that a Ingenious man must yet fall into the Mortars Hands, unless a Good Home proper Assistance, the importance of which being considered, to Honour

Resolved that the President Advance him with Provisions Stores & some Money, altogether amounting to Twenty Thousand (20,000) Rupees but he dealt in such a Private Manner as not to give Mortage to the Mortars

The Warehouse Keeper laying before the Merchants Report of their Adjustment of the Damaged Aurora purchased by Vitteldass Hoorydass, at the Resale the 4th March last it appears that the Damage is not fresh but has proceeded from the Slip & Damage spreading thereon & they are of Opinion, that Twenty Three Days should be allowed him on that Account, being only Three Days more, than sitting at first, the same is ordered

Twenty Leaguers of Batavia Arrack & Twenty Eight Leaguers of Columbo, being tendered at one & a half (1½) Rupees Pr Gallon Agreed to be accepted

The Committee of Surveys have now represented that the Flower Tree Magazine wants Flooring, the Lan Gaymaster is ordered to set about it

Read a Report of the Committee of Accounts, entered hereafter, Directed that Copy of such Parts as relate to Surat, be transmitted Mr Shaw

The Committee then reporting that they have no further Objections, to the Accounts from there or the following, they are now passed

Marine Paymasters Disbursements and Vouchers for October amounting to Rupees 27,[illegible] – 85 as per following Cottered

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Bombay Castle 4 to 7 — 15 Decem

Also read the Committee of Survey's Report of one Hundred Seven (107) unserviceable Gunpowder Mortar Beds, as entered hereafter, & which, they are convinced the Materials ordered to be appropriated to our Home Marine Service have then can be more useful

The President represents to the Board in consequence of his having given the Seddee that appears from his Petition & circumstances, he has been drove here merely by his Freebooters, & that he & Gangerah must yet fall into the Moratta Hands, unless we afford him proper Assistance; The importance of which being considered, it is Unanimously

Resolved that the President Assist him with Provisions Stores & some Money, altogether amounting to Twenty Thousand (20,000) Rupees, but that he do it in such a Private Manner as not to give Umbrage to the Moratta

The Warehousekeeper laying before the Merchants Report of their Adjustment of the Damaged Aurora purchased by Vittaldass Hofowdass, at the Resale the 4th March last, it appears that the Damage is not fresh, but has proceeded from the Ships Damage spreading therein & they adjudging, that Twenty one Yards ought to be allowed him on that Account, being only nine Yards more, than settled at first, the same is ordered

Twenty Leaguers of Batavia Arrack & Twenty Eight Leaguers of Columbo, being tendered at one & an half (1½) Rs. p. Gallon Agreed to be accepted

The Committee of Survey have now represented, that the Flower Tree Magazine wants flooring, the Land Paymaster is ordered to set about it

Read a Report of the Committee of Accounts entered hereafter, Directed that a Copy of such Part, as relates to Surat, be transmitted thither

The Committee then reporting that they have no further Objections, to the Accounts from thence or the following, they are now passed.

Marine Paymasters Disbursement and Vouchers for October amounting to Rupees 27,424 – 85 as per following Abstract

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Also read the Committee of Survey's Report of one Hundred seven (107) unserviceable Gun Carriages & four Mortar Beds, as entered hereafter & resolved, when they are condemned, & the Materials ordered to be appropriated to our Honble Master's Service where they can be most useful.

The President represents to the Board in consequence of having seen the Soubadar, that it appears from his Rank & circumstances, he has been drove here merely by his Necessities, & that the Gungerah must yet fall into the Marattas Hands, unless we afford him proper Assistance; The importance of which being considered, it is Unanimously

Resolved that the President assist him, with Provisions Stores & some Money, altogether amounting to Twenty Thousand (20,000) Rupees, & that he do it in such a Private Manner as not to give Umbrage to the Marattas.

The Warehousekeeper laying before us, the Merchants Report of their Adjustment of the Damaged Aurora lots purchased by Vittuldass Heywardass, at the Resale the 6th March last, it appears that the Damage is not fresh, but has proceeded from the Ship in Damage spreading thereon, & they adjudging, that Twenty one Yards should be allowed him on that Account, being only Nine Yards more, than settled at first, the same is ordered.

Twenty Leaguers of Batavia Arrack & Twenty Eight Leaguers of Columbo, being tendered at one & an half (1½) Rs. ₱ Gallon Agreed it be accepted.

The Committee of Surveys having represented that the Flower Tree Magazine wants flooring, the Land Paymaster is ordered to set about it.

Read a Report of the Committee of Accounts, entered hereafter, Ordered that a Copy of such Part as relates to Surat, be transmitted thither.

The Committee then reporting that they have no further Objections, to the Accounts from thence or the following, they are now passed.

Marine Paymasters Disbursements and Vouchers for October amounting to Rupees 27,424 — 35 as per following Abstract.

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Bombay Castle — 9th December

Committee of Survey's Report of unserviceable Gun Carriages & mortar Beds

Also read the Committee of Surveys Report, of one Hundred Seven (107) unserviceable Gun Carriages, & four Mortar Beds, as entered hereafter, agreeable to which, they are condemned, the Materials ordered to be appropriated, to our Honble Masters Service where they can be most usefull.

order thereon

The President represents to the Board in consequence of having seen the Seiddee, that it appears from his Dress & Circumstances, he has been drove here, merely by his necessities, & that the Gingerah must get fall into the Moratts Hands, unless we afford him proper Assistance, The importance of which being considered, the Unanimous Resolved that the President assist him, with Provisions Stores & some Money, altogether amounting to Twenty Thousand (20,000) Rupees, but that he do it in such a Private Manner as not to give Umbrage to the Moratts.

Seiddee by to be assisted in what manner

The Warehouse keeper laying before us, the Merchants Report of their Adjustment of the Damaged Aurora Cloth purchased by Vittaldass Hybowdass, at the Resale the 4th March last, it appears that the Damage is not fresh, but has proceeded from the Ship in Damage spreading thereon, & they adjudging, that Twenty one Yards ought to be allowed him on that Account, being only nine Yards more, than settle at first, the same is ordered.

Vittaldass Hybowdass an allow is ordered him for the damage in Cloth

Twenty Leaguers of Batavia Arrack & Twenty Eight Leaguers of Columbo, being tendered at one & an half (1½) Rupees p Gallon Agreed to be accepted.

Arrack purchased.

The Committee of Survey having represented, that the Flower Tree Magazine wants flooring, the Land Paymaster is ordered to set about it.

Flower Tree Magazine to be floored

Read a Report of the Committee of Accounts, entered hereafter, Directed that Copy of such Part, as relates to Surat, be transmitted thither.

Committee of Accounts report read.

The Committee then reporting, that they have no further Objections, to the Accounts from thence on the following, they are now passed.

Accounts passed.

Marine Paymasters Disbursements and Vouchers for October amounting to Rupees 27,492 — 85 as follows Postscript.

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Bombay Castle — 8 Decem 1790

Ship Protector	170. 3. 01
Ship Revenge	57. 3. 05
Bombay Grab	2412. 2. 09
Ship Guardian	4443. 2. 27
Drake Hetch	12020. 2. [illegible]
Success Hetch	79. 1. 37
Viper Hetch	483. 1. 14
Swan Snow	493. 3. 34
Blaze Fireship	27. 1. 33
Triumph Pahm	91. 3. 02
Cruizers for the Protection of Surat	410. 3. 22
Gallivats & Boats	2126. 2. 72
Bunder Charges	1443. 3. 33
Charges on Merchandize	992. 3. 04
Charges Extraordinary	379. 1. 10
Charges on Marine Stores	26. 1. [illegible]
Charges Building a Cruizer	643. [illegible] 05
Charges Building 2 Luggage Boats	100. 2. 72
The Rope Walk	149. 4. 63
Bombay General Books	39. 3. 60
Pensioners	75. 1. 69
Stores laid in	245. 3. 17
Rupees	27424. [illegible] 05

Sandsaymaster's Disbursements & Vouchers for October amounting to Rupees 15725. 2. 0[illegible] & following Abstract

Dietmoney & Houserent	2263. [illegible]
Servants Wages	359. 2. 00
Charges on Merchandize	701. 1. 37
Charges General	3025. 1. 76
Fortifications & House Repairs	1030. 1. 99
Charges making 6 wooden wheels with Bottoms &c for the use of Grinding Powder	355. 1. 03
Charges building a House for the Company	109. 3. 5
Charges making 3 Apartments at the Bunder Godowns for the use of the covenanted servants	891. 3. 17
Rs	8816. 3. 97

Bombay Castle, 9 December 1760

Ship Protector	170. 3. 01
Ship Revenge	57. 3. 05
Bombay Grab	2412. 2. 99
Ship Guardian	4143. 2. 27
Drake Ketch	12020. 2. 77
Success Ketch	79. 1. 02
Viper Ketch	483. 1. 14
Siren Snow	493. 3. 54
Blaze Fireship	27. 1. 35
Triumph Prahm	91. 3. 02
Cruizers for the Protection of Surat	410. 3. 02
Gallivats & Boats	2126. 2. 70
Bunder Charges	1443. 3. 53
Charges on Merchandize	992. 3. 64
Charges Extraordinary	379. 1. 90
Charges on Marine Stores	26. 1. —
Charges Building a Cruizer	643. — 65
Charges Building 2 Lugage Boats	108. 2. 70
The Rope Walk	149. 1. 63
Bombay General Books	39. 3. 60
Pensioners	75. 1. 69
Stores Laid in	245. 3. 17
Rupees	27424. — 85

Sandpaymaster's Disbursements & Vouchers for October amounting to Rupees 15725. 2. 80 as follows Abstract

Dietmoney & Houserent	2263. —
Servants Wages	359. 2. 00
Charges on Merchandise	701. 1. 37
Charges General	3025. 1. 76
Fortifications & House Repairs	1030. 1. 99
Charges making 6 wooden Wheels with Bottoms &c. for the use of Grinding Powder	355. 1. 03
Charges building a House for the Company	109. 3. 5
Charges making Apartments at the Bunder Warehouse for the use of the covenanted Servants	091. 3. 17
Rs	8816. 3. 97

Bombay Castle — 8th December 1807

Ship Protector	170. 3. 04
Ship Revenge	57. 3. 05
Bombay Grab	2412. 2. 90
Ship Guardian	4445. 2. 27
Drake Hetch	12920. 2. 77
Success Hetch	79. 1. 92
Viper Hetch	483. 1. 14
Pearn Snow	493. 3. 54
Blaze Fireship	27. 1. 35
Triumph Prahm	91. 3. 02
Cruizers for the Protection of Surat	410. 3. 92
Gallivats & Boats	2126. 2. 19
Bunder Charges	1443. 3. 53
Charges on Merchandize	992. 3. 05
Charges Extraordinary	3. 9. 1. 32
Charges on Marine Stores	26. 1. [illegible]
Charges Building a Cruizer	643. [illegible]
Charges Building 2 Luggage Boats	100. 2. 70
The Rope Walk	149. 4. 63
Bombay General Works	39. 3. 60
Prisoners	75. 1. 69
Stores laid in	245. 3. 17
Rupees	27424. [illegible]

Sandpaymaster's Disbursements & Vouchers for October amounting to Rupees 15725. 2. 8[illegible] & following Abstract

Dietmoney & Houserent	2263. [illegible]
Servants Wages	359. 2. 00
Charges on Merchandize	701. 1. 37
Charges General	3075. 1. 76
Fortifications & House Repairs	1030. 1. 99
Charges making 6 wooden wheels with Bottoms &c for the use of Grinding Powder	355. 1. 03
Charges building a House for the Company	109. 3. 5
Charges making Apartments at the Bunder Warehouse for the use of the covenanted Servants	991. 3. 17
Rs	9816. 3. 97

Bombay Castle 9th December 1700

Ship Protector	170. 3. 01
Ship Revenge	57. 3. 05
Bombay Grab	2412. 2. 99
Ship Guardian	4145. 2. 27
Drake Ketch	12020. 2. 77
Success Ketch	79. 1. 02
Viper Ketch	483. 1. 14
Sun Snow	493. 3. 54
Blaze Fireship	27. 1. 35
Triumph Prahm	91. 3. 02
Cruizers for the Protection of Surat	410. 3. 82
Gallivats & Boats	2126. 2. 70
Bunder Charges	1443. 3. 53
Charges on Merchandize	992. 3. 64
Charges Extraordinary	3,9. 1. 90
Charges on Marine Stores	26. 1. .
Charges Building a Cruizer	643. . 65
Charges Building 2 Luggage Boats	100. 2. 70
The Rope Walk	149. 4. 63
Bombay General Books	39. 3. 60
Persimers	75. 1. 69
Stores laid in	245. 3. 17
Rup^s	27424. . 85

Sandpaymaster's Disbursements & Vouchers for October amounting to Rupees 15725. 2. 80 as following Abstract

Dietmoney & Housecrent	2263. . .
Servants Wages	359. 2. 00
Charges on Merchandize	701. 1. 37
Charges General	3025. 1. 76
Fortifications & House Repairs	1030. 1. 99
Charges making 6 wooden Wheels with Bottoms &c. for the use of Grending Powder	355. 1. 03
Charges building a House for the Company	100. 3. 5
Charges making Apartments at the Bunder Warehouse for the use of the covenanted Servants	091. 3. 17
Rs	0816. 3. 97

Bombay Castle — 6th December 17[illegible]

Brought forwards	Rs 8616-3-97
Charges Building new Barracks for the Company's Troops and Apartments for the Officers	4138-3-90
Charges Building a new Carpenters Yard with Storehouses for the Sandpaymaster in the Room of the former one which is taken to turn into Barracks	39 — 86
Charges Building a House for the use of the Buffloes belonging to Powder house	134 — 44
Charges making Cupboards & Shelves in the Laboratory Stoteroom & Quarter Masters Storeroom in the Fort	233 3 55
The first Dry Dock	120 1 14
Bombay General Books	136 2 74
Provisions & Sheepoys Supplied the Madagascar Slaves	31 — 95
Charges on account of his Majesty's Ships	120 — —
Charges Extraordinary	31 1 54
The General Storekeeper	347 — 12
Chunam	1568 — —
Rupees	15725 2 80

Rents & Revenues for the a[illegible] Month, the Balance paid into the Treasury amounting to Rupees 1291[illegible] 1 33.

Bombay Customs for Octo[illegible] the Balance paid as above, amounting to Rupees 10233 2 67 arising as follows viz

Bombay Customs	5654 — 10
Additional Convoy Duty 1½ Cent	1409 3 [illegible]
Additional Duty of 1½ Cent towards fortifying the Island	2000 —
Weighing Duty	246 1 [illegible]
Measurage Duty	56 1 [illegible]
Convoy Money	70 — —
Cowle	273
Mandavee Passes	41 3 —
The ½ Cent to the new Custom House	755 2 [illegible]
Rs	10507 — 27
Deduct viz Servants Wages, Sepoys &c &c	273 1 60
Rupees	10233 2 67

Dock & Pier Paymasters Disbursements & Vouchers for October & Matram Customs for last Month inspected & referred to the Committee

Adjourned

Bombay Castle — 6th December 1[illegible]

Brought forwards Rs	9816.3.97
Charges Building new Barracks for the Company's Troops and Apartments for the Officers	4198.3.99
Charges Building a new Carpenters Yard with Storehouses for the Landpaymaster in the Room of the former one which is taken to turn into Barracks	39 — 96
Charges Building a House for the use of the Bullocks belonging to Powder house	134 — 44
Charges making Cupboards & Shelves in the Laboratory Stoke room & Quarter Masters Storeroom in the Fort	233. 3 55
The first Dry Dock	128. 1 14
Bombay General Books	136. 2 74
Provisions & Rice paid supplied the Madagascar Slaves	31 — 95
Charges on account of his Majesty's Ships	120. — —
Charges Extraordinary	31 1 54
The General Storekeeper	347 — 12
Chunam	1508 — —
Rup[ees]	15723 2.80

Rents & Revenues for the a[illegible] Month, the Balance paid into the Treasury amounting to Rup[ees] 1294[illegible] 133.

Bombay Customs for Oct[illegible] The Balance paid as above, amounting to Rup[ees] 10233.2.67 arising as follows, viz. Abstract

Bombay Customs	5654 — 10
Additional Convoy Duty 1 P Cent	1409[illegible]
Additional Duty of 1 P Cent towards fortifying the Island	2000 — —
Weighing Duty	246 1 53
Drawbrage Duty	36 1 34
Cmoo[illegible] Money	70 — —
Brick	173
Ad valorem Passa[illegible]	41 3 —
The 1 P Cent to the new Custom House	755 2 [illegible]
Rs	10507 — 27
Deduct Rup[ees] Servants Wages Serjeys &c &c	273 1 60
Rup[ees]	10233 2.67

Dock & Pier Paymaster's Disbursements & receipts for October & Marine Customs for last Month inspected & referred to the Committee

Adjourned

Bombay Castle — 6th December 1[illegible]

Brought forwards Rs	2816 3 97
Charges Building new Barracks for the Company's Troops and Apartments for the Officers	4138 3 90
Charges Building a new Carpenter's Yard with Storehouses for the Landpay master in the Room of the former one which is taken to turn into Barracks	39 - 36
Charges Building a House for the use of the Bullocks belonging to Powder house	134 - 44
Charges making Cupboards & Shelves in the Laboratory Stoktoom & Quarter Masters Storeroom in the Fort	233 3 55
Tax for the Dry Dock	120 1 14
Bombay General Books	136 2 74
Provisions & Necessaries supplied the Madagascar Slaves	31 - 90
Charges on accounts of his Majesty's Ships	120 - -
Charges Extraordinary	31 1 54
The General Storekeeper	347 - 12
Chunam	1508 - -
Rupees	15793 2 80

Rents & Revenues for the a[illegible] month, the Balance paid into the Treasury amounting to Rupees 1294[illegible] 133.

Bombay Customs for Octo[illegible] the Balance paid as above, amounting to Rupees 10235 2 67 accounting as follows, Abstracting

Bombay Customs	5654 - 10
Additional Convoy Duty 1½ Cent	1409 3 [illegible]
Additional Duty of 1½ Cent towards fortifying the Island	2000 - -
Weighing Duty	246 1 55
Measuring Duty	56 4 [illegible]
Convoy Money	70 - -
Cawee	273
Sandarum Passes	41 3 [illegible]
The 1½ Cent to the new Custom House	755 2 [illegible]
Rs	10507 - 2[illegible]
Deduct Drawback	
Servants Wages Sepoys &c &c	273 1 10
Rupees	10233 2 51

Dock & Pier Paymaster's Pass[illegible] [illegible] for October & Malabar Customs for last Month [illegible] [illegible] committee.

Adjourned

Bombay Castle — 9th Dec. 1802

Brought forwards	Rs. 8816.3.97
Charges Building new Barracks for the Company's Troops and Apartments for the Officers	4130.3.99
Charges Building a new Carpenters Yard with Storehouses for the Landpaymaster in the Room of the former one which is taken to turn into Barracks	39 . 96
Charges Building a House for the use of the Buffloes belonging to Powder house	134 . . 44
Charges making Cupboards & Shelves in the Laboratory Stoke room & Quarter Masters Storeroom in the Fort	233. 3 55
The first Dry Dock	128. 1 14
Bombay General Books	136 2 7
Provisions & Necessaries supplied the Madagascar Slaves	31 . 95
Charges on account of his Majesty's Ships	120 . .
Charges Extraordinary	31. 1 34
The General Storekeeper	347 . 12
Shunam	1508 . —
Rup	15723 2.80

Rents & Revenues for the [illegible] Month, inc. Balance paid into the Treasury amounting to Rup 1241 1 33.

Bombay Customs for [illegible] the Balance paid as above, amounting to Rup 10233.2.67 arising as follows & Abstracting

Bombay Customs	5654 . 10
Additional Convoy Duty 5 p Cent	1409 3 [illegible]
Additional Duty of 1 p Cent towards fortifying the Island	2000 . .
Weighing Duty	246 1 [illegible]
Measurage Duty	56 1 [illegible]
Convoy Money	70 . .
Bazar	273
Pontoon Passes	41 3
The 5 p Cent to the new Custom House	755 2 7
Rs	10507 . 2 [illegible]
Deduct vizt	
Servants Wages Sepoys &c &c	273 1 60
Rup	10233 2 67

Dock & Pier Paymaster's Disbursements & Vouchers for October & Shalum Customs for last Month [illegible] & new commities

Adjourned

Bombay Castle — 6th December 1[illegible]

Brought forwards Rs	2816-3-97
Charges Building new Barracks for the Company's Troops and Apartments for the Officers	4198-3-99
Charges Building a new Carpenters Yard with Storehouses for the Landpaymaster in the Room of the former one which is taken to turn into Barracks	39 - 36
Charges Building a House for the use of the Bullocks belonging to Powder House	134 - 44
Charges making Cupboards & Shelves in the Laboratory Stoke room & Quarter Masters Storeroom in the Fort	233 3 55
The first Dry Dock	128 1 14
Bombay General Books	136 2 74
Provisions & Recipts supplied the Madagascar Slaves	31 - 95
Charges on account of Her Majesty's Ships	129 - -
Charges Extraordinary	31 1 54
The General Storekeeper	347 - 12
Chunam	1668 - -
Rupees	15723 2-80

Rents & Revenues for the a[illegible] Month, the Balance paid into the Treasury amounting to Rupees 1291[illegible] 1 33

Bombay Customs for Octo[illegible] the Balance paid as above, amounting to Rupees 10233 2-67 a[illegible] wing as follows, Abstract of

Bombay Customs	5654 - 10
Additional Convoy Duty 1 Per Cent	1409 3 [illegible]
Additional Duty 1 Per Cent towards fortifying the Island	2600 - -
Weighing Duty	246 1 53
Wharfage Duty	56 1 [illegible]
Brace Money	70 - -
Bazar	273
Hanaram Pagoda	41 8 -
Re Per Cent to the new Custom House	755 2 [illegible]
Rs	10507 - 2[illegible]
Deduct Rupees Servants Wages Sepoys Bill &c	273 1 6[illegible]
Rupees	10233 2 0[illegible]

Dock & Pier Paymasters Declaration & vouchers for October & Marine Customs for last Month, [illegible] the Committee

Adjourned

Bombay Castle 43 8th December 17[illegible]

Adjourned

Thacker[illegible]
F. Bright
Wm Hornby
J. Spencer
Chas Crow[illegible]

Samuel Cro[illegible]

The humble Reply of the Chiefs & Council at Tellicherry to the Committee of Accounts of Bombay their Remarks on the Pepper Investment for Anno 1759 viz:

With regard to the separate Paper wanting out Errors, in the Accounts Relatives to the Pepper Contract p[illegible] 1759 It is matter of real Concern to us to observe them, having one general to say that they were always framed by our Then Accomptant [illegible] signed by the Board, with the fair Advices on a Presumption they w[illegible] justly drawn out in every Respect as that of Method; for as to the Addition Column, taken Notice of in the first Article that differed from the Form [illegible] ed, it was done by Order of us all, & meant to shew the Quantity of Pepper [illegible] expected to receive from our Merchants, for the Amount of the Money, that [illegible] been advanced them, on account said Contract which as we judged, the Company had only a Right to expect, on account of our not being enabled to make them the latter advance as Agreement, & which Statement with such additional Column, would have been evidently defective as we humb[illegible] conceived, & not have answered the End of shewing the Quantity really to be received from the Merchants provided they were not wanting on their Part the we repeat was the intent & meaning of directing such an Alteration to be m[illegible] in the Form prescribed, & the Reason, how that Column has happened to be differently worded, in many of the After Statements, must be owing to our Accomptant's not keeping by him, as he now tells us he did not, but Drawing the Statement transmitted How those several Statements came to differ [illegible]

Bombay Castle 4.2 9th Decemb. 176

Adjourned

Charlemonnell
F. Boyd
Wm Norsby
J. Spencer
Thos Crow

Samuel Crow

The humble Reply of the Chief & Council at Tellicherry to the Committee of Accounts of Bombay their Remarks on the Pepper Investment for Fame 1759 viz.

With regard to the separate Paper [illegible] ing out Errors, in the Accounts Relative to the Pepper Contract [illegible] 759 It's matter of real Concern to Us, to observe them, having one [illegible] eneral to say that they were always framed by our Then Accountant [illegible] ppoved by the Board, with the fair Advices on a Presumption they w[illegible] rectly drawn out in every Respect as that of Method, for as to the Odd Fo[illegible] Column, taken Notice of in the first Article, that appeared [illegible] the Form [illegible] It was done by Order of us all, & meant to shew the Quantity of Pepper [illegible] pected to receive from our Merchants, for the Amount of the Money, Th[illegible] en advanced them, on account said Contract which as we judged, the [illegible] mpany had only a Right to expect, on account of our not being enabled to make them the latter advance, as Agreement, & which Statement [illegible] ch additional Column, would have been evidently defective [illegible] received, & not have answered the End of shewing the Quantity really to be received from the Merchants provided they were not wanting on their Part, the repeat was the intent & meaning of directing such an Alteration to be mad[illegible] the Form prescribed, & the Reason, how that Column has happened to differently worded, in many of the after Statements, must be owing to our Accountant not keeping by him, as he now tells us he did not, foul Drafts [illegible] Statement transcribed How those several Statements came to be [illegible]

Bombay Castle 40 the 9th Decem'br 17[illegible]

Adjourned

Present

Thos Hornby
Spencer
Gravier

Samuel Cook

The humble Reply of the Chief & Council at Tellicherry to the Committee of Accounts of Bombay their Remarks on the Pepper Investment for Anno 1759 viz:

With regard to the separate Paper containing out Errors in the Accounts Relative to the Pepper Contract for 1759 It is matter of real Concern to us to observe them having one general to say that they were always formed by our Then Accountant signed by the Board, with the fair Advices on a Presumption that we justly drawn out in every Respect as that of Method, for as to the Add'tional Column, later Notice of in the for'd Note that altered from the Form received, it was done by Order of us all, & meant to shew the Quantity of Pepper we expected to receive from our Merchants, for the Amount of the Money that been advanced them, on account said Contract which as we judged the Company had only a Right to expect, on account of our not being enabled to make them the Latter advance as Agreed, which Statement in the such additional Column would have been evidently respected as we hum conceived, & not have answered the End of shewing the Quantity really to be received from the Merchants provided they were not wanting on their Part the we repeat was the intent & meaning of directing such an Alteration to be made in the Form prescribed, & the Reason, how that Column has happened to be differently worded in many of the After Statements must be owing to our Accountant's not hearing by him, as he now tells us he did not, food Deep to the Statement transmitted How those several Statements came to dif[illegible]

Bombay Castle 46 9th December 1760

Adjourned

Governor
F Boyd
Wm Hornby
J Spencer
Commander

Samuel Cooke

The humble Reply of the Chiefs & Council at Tellicherry to the Committee of Accounts of Bombay their Remarks on the Pepper Investment for Anno 1759 viz:

With regard to the separate Expenses ing out Errors, in the Accounts Relative to the Pepper Contract for 1759 It is matter of real Concern to Us, to observe them, having only general to say, that they were always framed by our then Accountant signed by the Board, with the fair Advices, on a Presumption they were justly drawn out in every respect as that of Method, for as to the Addition Column, take Notice of in the first Place that it differed from the Form received it was done by order of us all, & meant to shew the Quantity of Pepper expected to receive from our Merchants, for the Amount of the money, that been advanced them, on account said Contract which as we judged, the Company had only a Right to expect, on account of our not being enabled to make them the Latter Advance as per Agreement, & which Statement of a like such additional Column, would have been evidently defective as we then conceived, & not have answered the End of shewing the Quantity really to be received from the Merchants provided they were not wanting on their Part, the we repeat was the intent & meaning of directing such an Alteration to be made in the Form prescribed, & the Reason how that Column has happened to be differently worded, in many of the After Statements, must be owing to our Accountant not keeping by him, as he now tells us he did not, fair Draft of the Statement transmitted How those several Statements came to differ

one another in other respects, We are much at a Loss to account for, tho' as depended as is customary in all other Places to do, on the Accomptants Exact Accuracy that they corresponded with the Warehouse Accounts for the Quantities received, & the Treasury Book for the Amount advanced, An now as we have had Occasion to mention our Treasury, & consequently the Monies of every Species kept in it, We cannot dismiss the Subject, without declaring in the most Solemn Manner that this Part of our Trust is most strictly & rigidly, not to call it sacredly administred to, & has so ever since the Month of January 1754 inferior thereon, in point of Integrity, to no Subordinate Settlement or Presidency, belonging to the Honble Company under the Sun, The Door of the Room being three different Locks the Chief & the two Senior keeping each a Key ever since Mr Wrench left this Settlement, the Youngest of them has been the Acting Treasurer, nor should we have made this Digression but to obviate any Doubt, Suspicion or Insinuation in whomsoever to the Contrary, We do not however pretend to justify Mistakes can omitted at any time, either by our acting Treasurer in his Treasury Book, or those of our Accomptant, in framing the Monthly Accounts of Cash therefrom, tho' we repeat they are solely Inadvertencies or Mismanagies in them & nothing Else; The Difference of Rupees Four Thousand, remarked between the Cash Account for January transmitted to the Presidency, & that for the same Month, entered in our Diary, was owing, to an Omission of the Acting Treasurer, his not inserting that Sum in its proper place, advanced the Military Paymaster, tho' it actually was so, & after being discovered, caused a rectified Account to be drawn out, which was that entered on the Diary, in like Manner the Difference of Rupees 2000 — in that for Feby was occasioned by an Error in our Accomptant, his not inserting that Sum, on the Debtor Side, in his fair Cash Account for the Office altho' it was regularly entered in the Treasury Book under the Date it was in fact received into Cash, & so rectified in that transmitted to the Presidency, Our Treasury is examined, sometimes by one, sometimes by another of the Members of the Board, not Treasurer, in like Manner as is practised at the Presidency, But what Examinations can guard against such like Mistakes.

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Bombay Castle — 29th December 1

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Bombay Castle 7th December 1

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Bombay Castle — 9 Decemb 1750

Seven Hundred, three new Rupees Forty four Thousand seven [illegible] from whence the Sum of Rupees 20000 for our current expences [illegible] deducted together with that of Rupees 16604 176, to be paid three Pepper Contractors Viz Pedro Rodriguez, Combem Allupy & Bypp Patterah for what they have delivered of this Article more than advanced for, the Remaining Rupees 76952 24 will be too small to attempt Contracting for the further Quantity of Rice, being at least twenty five Thousand Bales wanted for the use of this Garrison, on the usual terms & much more so, to compleat the Advances for our Pepper Contract, as agreed to be made in Consultation the 2d February all which being taken into Consideration on the last mos be deferred, untill Receipt of a fresh Supply, but as it is uncertain how long time may Elapse first, it would be greatly imprudent to risque this Garrison being destitute of Provisions, the only expedient that occurs to prevent it, is to contract for the Rice on Condition of paying for it on the Treasures Arrival, the Price now at Margulore is not less than Pagodas 20 the Corge, to which adding the Charges of Freight & Allamy, brings it Nighest to 31, Your Merchants being called in, are willing to let the Honble Company have it for 32 Rupees Robin, which been esteemed a reasonable Price, considering the Difference of their not receiving any Advance must make to them, together with a great Number of Vessels, from the many Ports to the Southward of this Place, besides a Ship, which we learn by private Hands, was taken up the Presidency to come Shuttler Boat with Grain, the undermentioned Persons were agreed with for the following Quantities at that Rate

Manuel Rodriguez	5000 Bales
George Rodriguez	5000
Combem Allupy	8000
Cheriamday Cunhamod	5000
Muccatum Paquy	2000
	25000 Bales

"to be delivered before the Rains"

But that the Fact may appear more clearly and in one View the following Statement is here inserted, as taken from our Cash Accounts for April & May, shewing its Disposal, conformable to the Tenour of said Consultation

Cashier Telliccherry Treasury

1759 April 1st The Bal. was brought from last Month

Bombay Castle ——— 9 Decemb 170

Seven Hundred, there now remains Rupees Forty four Thousand seven &c
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willing to let the Honble Company have it for 3½ Rupees Robin, which been
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receiving any Advance must make to them, together with a great Force
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George Rodriguez	5000
Combem Allupy	8000
Cheruandy Cunhamod	5000
Muccatum Paquy	2000
	25000 Bales

"to be delivered before the Rains"

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Cashier Tellicherry Treasury

1759 April 1st Pa 32 16 we brought forward from last Month

Bombay Castle 9 December 176

Seven Hundred, there now remains Rupees Forty four Thousand seven &c
from whence the Sum of Rupees 20,000 for our Current expences to
deducted together with that of Rupees 16604..1.76, to be paid three of our
Pepper Contractors Viz^t Pedro Rodriguez, Combem Aliupy & Boppa
Patterah, for what they have delivered of this Article, more than advanced
for, the Remaining Rup^s 7695 2..24 will be too small to attempt Con-
tracting for the further Quantity of Rice, being at least twenty five Thou^d
Bales wanted for the use of this Garrison, on the usual terms, & much so
so, to compleat the Advances for our Pepper Contract, as agreed to be made
in Consultation the 2^d February all which being taken into Considera-
tion, this last must be deferred, untill Receipt of a fresh Supply, but as it is
uncertain how long time may Elapse first, it would be greatly impru-
dent to risque this Garrison being destitute of Provisions, the only expe-
dient that occurs to prevent it, is to contract for the Rice, on Condition
of paying for it on the Treasures Arrival, the Price now at Mangulore is
not less than Pagodas 20 the Corge, to which adding the Charges of Freight
& Adlamy, brings it Nighest to 31, Your Merchants being called in, are
willing to let the Honble Company have it for 3½ Rup^s Rebin, which been
esteemed a reasonable Price, considering the Difference of their not
receiving any Advance must make to them together with a great Demand
there, from a Number of Vessels, from the many Ports to the South were at
this Place, besides a Ship, which we learn by private Hands, was taken up
the Presidency to come thither to load with Grain, the undermentioned Persons
were agreed with for the following Quantities at that Rate,

Manuel Rodriguez	5000 Bales	
George Rodriguez	5000	
Combem Aliupy	8000	
Cheriandy Cunhamod	5000	
Muccattum Paquy	2000	25000 Bales

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Cash in Tellicherry Treasury

1759 April 1st To Rs 32 U..ee brought from last Month

Bombay Castle — 9 Dec 1 11

To Account Current Bhagwan and Gunedin
Warehouse keeper receive the amt of Resales
for November, December & January — 100 00
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Cash in Sellicherry Treasury

739 April By Recey Dry.

2. Paid for 12,000 Bales bought in Consultation the 16th Febry last on Trust, to be paid for, part of the 1st Remittance from the Presidency at 2 3/4 p Bale — 35200

D° 2000 Bales received from Pedro Rodriguez, at D° in Consequence of our Endeavours in said Consultation to procure our whole Provision at that Rate — 5500

5th D° 400 received from Capt James Don at 3 1/2 p Bale the Price settled with our Merchants in Consultation the 3d Instt — 1,400

15200 — 41,100

6. 2 Ally Rajah Cont. in Consultation the 7th Inst approved from the Presidency the 1st May following — 13,000

— Cullicut Factory remitted thither — 2,000

8th Combem Allupy paid him in part on Account Pepper delivered in at 88 1/2 p Candy, over and above his Advance in February — 16,800

" Boppi Cady Pattanah D° D° D° — 1,075

14th Pedro Rodriguez D° D° D° — 4,000

— Steward, Paid Thomas Hodges Administrator to the Estate of Ralph Hallet deceased late Provisional Steward, his amount Supplies to Pallamar Boats &c from 13th Oct last to the 9th Nov following — 400.35

17th Military Paymaster advanced him at different times — 10,000

Land paymaster D° D° D° — 4,734 10

" Anjengo Factory remitted thither of Money in part of the 20,000 strenuously requested by the Chief & Factors, in their Letter of 22d Nov as they had not sufficient in Cash to defray their Charges

Carried over Rs 50,117 10 5

Bombay Castle — 6th December 17

To account Current Bill by received of Gua'dian
Hassan as he pr received the amt of the dat-
for pr remove, December & January — 73,1

Cash in Sellicherry Treasury

1759 April By Rice Dr

2d Paid for 12000 Bales bought on Consideration
the 16th February last on Trust, to be paid for part
of the 1st Remittance from the Presidency
at 2 Pag. 4 Bale — 35200

Do 2000 Bales received from Pedro Rodrigues at Do
in Consequence of our Indemnity in Do
Consultation to procure our whole
Provision at that Rate — 5500

5th Do 400 received from Capt James Den at
3 Pag. 2 Bale the Price settled with our
Merchants in Consultation the 3d Instt 1,200

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2d Alex Rogers lent on Consultation the 7th Oct
supposed from the Presidency the 1st May following 13000

Calicut Factory remitted thither 200

5th Coombem Allupy paid him in part on account
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above his Advance in February 16,801

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the Estate of Ralph Thellet deceased late Provis-
onal Steward, his amount Supplies to Pallamar
Bratsees from 13th Oct last to the 9th Nov following 400 3 5

Military Paymaster advanced him at different
times — 10,000

Land Paymaster Do Do Do — 4,734 10

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part of the 20,000 strenuously requested by the
Chief & Factors in their Letter of 22d Oct as they
have not sufficient in Cash to defray their Charges

Carried over Dr 50,1,7 4

Bombay Castle — 9th Decr 17

To Account Current B Gay received of Gurednan Warinusche, so received the amt of his salary for November December & January . 100 00

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Cash in Tellicherry Treasury

1759 April By Rice viz

2. Paid for 12000 Bales bought in Consultation the 16th February last on Inst, to be paid for out of the 1st Remittance from the Presidency at 2 3/4 p Bale — 35200

D° 2000 Bales received from Pedro Rodriguez at 8° in Consequence of our Endeavours in said Consultation to procure our whole Provision at that Rate — 5500

5th D° 400 Bales received from Capt James Den at 3 1/2 p Bale the Price settled w th our Merchants in consultation the 3d Inst 1400

15,200 — 42100

6 "Ally Rajah lent as p Consultation the 7th Ult. & approved from the Presidency the 1st May following 13000

— "Calicut Factory remitted thither 2000

7th "Cowdem Allupy paid him in part on account Pepper delivered in at 80 p Candy, over and above his Advance in February . . 1680

— "Beppu Cutty Pattenah D° D° D° . . 1075

14th "Pedro Rodriguez D° D° D° 4000

— "Steward, Paid Thomas Hodges Administrator to the Estate of Ralph Hallet deceased late Provisional Steward, his amount Supplies to Pattamar Boats &c from 13th Oct. last to the 9th Nov. following. 400.35.

17th "Military Paymaster advanced him at different times 10,000

"Land Paymaster D° D° D° 4,734.101

"Anjengo Factory remitted thither p Money in part of the 20,000 strenuously requested by the Chief & Factors in their Letter of 22d Ult. as they had not sufficient in Cash to defray their Charges

Carried over Dr 80,117..

Bombay Castle — Decr 1 11

To account Current Bt forwarded Pagoda in
hand as per last account [illegible]
for November December & January [illegible]

Cash in Sellicherry Treasury

1759 April By Rice viz.

2d Pics for 12000 Bales bought in Cirkal Station the 16th February last on Trust, to be paid for out of the Remittance from the Presidency at 2 1/4 p Bale — 3520

5th D° 2000 Bales received from Pedro Rodriguez &c in consequence of our Indian [illegible] consultation to procure our whole Provision at that Rate — 5500

5th D° 400 Bales received from Capn James Dor at 3 1/2 p Bale the Price settled at our Merchants in Consultation the 9th Instt — 1400

15200 — 12420

2d Alley Raych lent as p Consultation the 7th Ult approved from the Presidency the 1st May for our Calicut Factory remitted thither — 1000

— Calicut Factory remitted thither — 260

6th Comber Allupy paid him in part on account Pepper delivered in at 8d 2/4 Candy over and above his Advance in February — 1680

— Beppu Coty Putienah D° D° D° — 1075

14th Pedro Rodriguez D° D° D° — 400

— Steward Paid Thomas Hodges Administrator to the Estate of Ralph Thellet deceased Late Personal Steward, his amount Supplies to Pattamar Boats &c from 13th Oct last to the 9th Nov following — 400 3 5

17th Military Paymaster advanced him at different times — 10,000

Land Paymaster D° D° D° — 4,734 1 4

Driver Factory remitted thither Money in part of the 20,000 strenuously requested by the Chief & Factors in their Letter of 22d Ult as they have not sufficient Cash to defray their Charges

Carried over Rupees [illegible]

Bombay Castle — 8th Decr 1759

To Account Current B. Gy received of Guardian — 100,000

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1759 continued.

	Brought over Rs	98,117.....
	to the End of this month	10,000..
May 5	Military Paymaster advanced him in lieu of requisite Sums for defraying the Garrison & other Charges of last Month	1,100.....
	Sandpaymaster D.D. D.D.	1,517.....
	Rupees	100,734..0

Can any thing well be more clear? as it shews we not only bought all our Rice on Trust, save only a very few Bales paid for in ready Money; but provide some of our Pepper in the same Manner.

The Committee are pleased also to blame us for not advising them sooner, than in our Letter of the 2d February, at what time we should be in want of Cash for our Pepper Investment, nor then of sending them a Calculate of Cash; both which we beg leave, absolutely to contradict, & refer to our Advices under the 17th Sept. preceding wherein will be found the following Paragraph. "From the best Information now to be obtained, We judge it may be possible to procure in all, about 5000 Candies of this years Crop of Pepper, half of which may be got in by the End of April provided it is agreeable to your Honour &c. to furnish us with Cash sufficient to enable us to make early & large Advances, & that we should be more intent on securing the Quantity than lowering the Price; & agreeable thereto our enclosed Estimate of Cash is framed." This Notice was received the 12th October & allow to be both timely & sufficient, from the Answer given us in the general Advices dated the 20th following of Bombay Grab that Paragraph running thus "It is with great Satisfaction we observe you have a prospect of procuring 5000 Candies of the new Crop, & you may depend on our Sending you sufficient supplies of Cash to make the necessary Advances, but as reducing the Price all in your Power is of great Importance; We must at the same time enjoin you duly to attend to it" so supposing then that the Surat Expedition, prevented our being supplied with Cash, till the Guardian was dispatched, had that Vessel brought us two Lacks instead of the one she did, such a Supply indeed might have been of great use, as the after Remittance of three Lacks by the Deane, arriving not even the 10th May, could be of no Service to our Pepper Contract, as our Consultation of the 12th May quoted by the Committee shews, it enable indeed to pay for the 25,000 Bales of Rice we had agreed for on Trust, & make an Advance to Combem Allupy of Rupees 20,000 for Cn. 300 of pepper on account a new Contract at 90 Rupees P Candy & the di

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1759 continued.

	Brought over Rs	99,117 .. 51
	to the End of this month	1,000 ..
May 5	Military Paymaster advanced him in lieu of requisite Sums for defraying the Garrison & other Charges of last Month	1,100 ..
	Sandpaymaster D.D. D.D.	1,517 .. 48
	Rupees	100,734 . 1 . 0

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Bombay Castle

1739 continued

Brought over to Dr 11 [illegible] 2,000

May 3 to the Dr of this month

Dr Sundry Pumpkins received from us in the Requisition for defraying the Garrison & other Charges of last month — [illegible]

— Sundry pumpkins Dr Dr [illegible]

Rupees 100,734 [illegible]

can any thing well be more clear? as it is we not only bought all our Rice on Trust, save only a very few Bales paid for in ready money; but provide some of our Pepper in the same Manner.

The Committee are pleased also to blame us for not advising them sooner, than in our Letter of the 3d February, at what time we should be in want of Cash for our Pepper Investment [illegible] of remaining then a Calculator of Cash, both which we [illegible] to contradict & refer to our Advices [illegible] the 17th Sept preceding [illegible] found the following Paragraph from the best Information [illegible] "to wd Wedge it may be possible to procure in all about 5000 Sandies, this year's Crop of Pepper half of which may be got in by the [illegible] provided it is agreeable to your Honors & to furnish us with Cash [illegible] to enable us to make early & large Advances, that we should be more [illegible] in securing the Quantity [illegible] covering the Price & [illegible] [illegible] Firmaun &c. [illegible] Dr & not as was seen in the 1st Letter or to be [illegible] by Dispatches from the Coast [illegible] the Gov[illegible] [illegible] the 20th following [illegible] Paragraph [illegible] our Intelligence [illegible] 5000 Sandies of the new Crop & you may depend on our sending you sufficient supplies of Cash to make the necessary Advances but as reducing the Price all in your Power is of great Importance [illegible] at the same time enjoin you duly to attend to it & supposing then the the Surat Expedition prevented our being supplied with Cash, till the Guardian was dispatched, had that Vessel brought us two Chests instead of the one she did, such a Supply indeed might have been of greater [illegible] the after Remittance of three Lacks by the Drake, arriving not even the 10th May could be of no Service to our Pepper Contract [illegible] consultation of the 12th May quoted by the Committee shows [illegible] indeed to pay for the 25,000 Bales of Rice, we had agreed for on [illegible] make an Advance to Combem Aliapy of Rupees 20000 for Cas. 900 of pepper on account a new Contract at 90 Rupees Candy [illegible] the [illegible]

Bombay Castle — 9th June 1760

1759 continued to the end of this month — Brought over Rs 8[illegible] 2,000

May 5th Mr Ali Aga Cuttanee was recd from him now
(Frequently) for defraying the Garrison
& other Charges this month — — — 1 [illegible]
Sundry payments 1st to 5th D[illegible] — — [illegible]

Carried 100,734 [illegible]

can a very thing will be more clear as it shews we not only bought all our Rice on Trust saw only a very few Bales paid for in ready money but provide some of our Pepper in the same Manner

The Committee are pleased also to blame us for not advising them sooner, than in our Letter of the 2d February, at what time we should be in want of Cash for our Pepper Investment nor of sending them a Calculation of Cash, both which we beg leave absolutely to contradict, & refer to our Advices under the 17th Sept preceding, wherein will be found the following Paragraph "From the best Information now to be obtained we may be possible to procure in all about 5000 Sundries this year's Crop of Pepper, half of which may be got in by the 1st of April provided it is agreeable to your Honour &c to furnish us with Cash sufficient to enable us to make early & large Advances, that we should be more certain of securing the Quantity, now lowering the Price & accordingly sent to our Chief at Tellicherry Cash for the purpose, & received the 1st October [illegible] the Cash [illegible] Sundries from the Country [illegible] the following [illegible] Sundries of the new Crop, & you may depend on our sending you sufficient Supplies of Cash to make the necessary Advances; but as reducing the Price all in your Power is of great Importance, we on at the same time enjoin you duly to attend to it" so, supposing then the Surat Expedition prevented our being supplied with Cash, till the Guardian was dispatched, had that Vessel brought us two Lacks, instead of the one she did, such a Supply indeed might have been of great use, the after Remittance of three Lacks by the Drake arriving not till the 10th May, could be of no Service to our Pepper Cas Trust as our Consultation of the 12th May quoted by the Committee shewes we were indeed to pay for the 25,000 Bales of Rice we had agreed for on Trust & make an Advance to Combem Allupy of Rupees 20000 for Cant 90 of pepper on account a new Contract at 90 Rupees Candy & the Ch

Bombay Castle — 9th June 1760

1739 continued

	Brought from Pg 91	16,000
	to the Ind. of the month	
May 3d	Military Pay mentd advanced him in lieu of requisite Chs for defraying the Garrison & other Charges of last Month	1,100
"	Landpay mentd D.o F. D.o D.	1,634
	Rupees	109,734

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deliver in more than 104.2 (Can Inds) of the 204.00163 (Can Decs), the Quantity he stood in Advance for, We are persuaded from his punctuality in general it was impracticable, on Account the large Quantities, the Macao Ships had drained the Country of, as noticed in our several Advices, but be this as it will, however we beg leave to differ in opinion with the Committee in deeming him in the least Faulty, by not delivering in more than Five Hundred thirty Six Candies, three Maunds & five Pounds & an half (840.5.5½ Can Inds Cts) of the 1500 he at first engaged for, the other Candies 104.2 on account his Contract, for three hundred Candies, on the Contrary we had a Right by the Terms of that Contract to expect no more from him than to the Amount actually advanced him, which from our Lowness of Cash & default of receiving the timely Supply we had reason to expect for Reasons as above assigned amounted only to Rupees 30000 which at Rupees 88½ that Contract Price gives Candies 564.19.13 so that the remaining Candies 171.3.22½ were over & above the amount of his advance, but was paid for at the Contract Price of 86.2 Rupees on the Supply of Cash & Guardian, as our Consultation of 3d April above inserted shews, & with regard to his old Balance noticed by the Committee it was paid out of the first Parcell of Pepper delivered in that Season as the Journal entry particularly shews, as to Muccatem Vaguen & Cheriandy Cunhamod being said both together 212 Candies two months after they received their Advances. The Quantity so advanced for is 564.19.13 (Can Inds Cts) & we beg leave to assert that at the End of December which was not more than ten Months after they both together delivered in Candies 497.12. on account those Advances, whence the Deficiency was really only 67.7.13 (Can Inds Cts) & we can only further say as neither of them are so wealthy as Allupy, that had the State of our Cash permitted our advancing them as usual, on account the Rice Contract made with them, & Allupy for nine of the 12000 Bales a few days subsequent to that of the Pepper, We firmly believe they would not have been so backward if at all, their Apprehensions of the Price of Rice rising upon them, being at that time more obvious than that of Pepper. It is certain we have never been able to bring their Merchants to be any thing like so punctual in their Engagements as Allupy has been enabled by timely Supplies of Cash to have made them proper advances, as well on account their Rice as

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deliver in more than 104.2 of the 204 Candies, the quantity he stood in advance for, We are persuaded from his punctuality in general was impracticable, on account the large Quantities, the Macao Ships drained the Country of, as noticed in our several Advices but be this as it will, however we beg leave to differ in opinion with the Committee in deeming him in the least Faulty, by not delivering in more than the Hundred thirty Six Candies, three Maunds & five Pounds & an half, 840 5.5½ of the 1500 he at first engaged for the other Candies 104, on account his Contract, for three hundred Candies, on the Contrary we had a Right by the Terms of that Contract to expect no more from him than to the Amount actually advanced him, which from our Want of Cash, & default of receiving the timely Supply we had reason to expect for Reasons as above assigned, amounted only to Rupees 30000, nine Rupees 88½ that Contract Price gives Candies 564 19 13 so that the remaining Candies 1713.22½ were above the amount of his advance, but was paid for at the Contract Price of 88.7 Rupees on the Supply of Cash & Guardian, as our Consultation of 3d April above inserted shews, & with regard to his old Balance noticed by the Committee it was paid out of the first Parcell of Pepper delivered in that Season as the Journal entry particularly shews, as to Muccatem Vaguy & Cheriandy Cunhamed being said both together 212 Candies two months after they received their Advances The Quantity so advanced for is 564.19.13 we beg leave to assert, that at the End of December which was not more than ten Months after they both together delivered in Candies 497.12. on account their advances & hence the Deficiency was really only 67.7.13 & we can only further say as neither of them are so wealthy as Allupy, that had the State of our Cash permitted our advancing them as usual on account the 4 contracts made with them, & Allupy for nine of the 12000 Bales a few days subsequent to that of the Pepper, We firmly believe they would not have been so backward if at all, their Apprehensions the Price of Rice rising upon them, being at that time more Obvious than that of Pepper. It is certain we have never been able to bring these Merchants to be any thing like so punctual in their Engagements as Allupy has been enabled by timely Supplies of Cash to have made them proper advances, as well on account their Rice as [illegible] interest & interest [illegible]

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delivered in more than 104 2 (Can Mds) of the 204 00163 (Can Dec), the quantity he stood in Advance for, We are persuaded from his punctuality in general was impracticable, on account the large Quantities, the Macao Ships drained the Country of, as noticed in our several Advices, but he has well, however we beg leave to differ in opinion with the Committee in deeming him on the least Faulty, by not delivering in more than Hundred thirty six Candies, three Maunds & five Pounds & a half 840 5 5 2 (Can Mds &c) of the 1500 he at first engaged for the other Candies 104 on account his Contract, for three hundred Candies, on the Contrary we had a Right by the Terms of the Contract to expect more, or nor than to the Amount actually advanced him, which from our Want of Cash, & default of receiving the timely Supply we had reason to expect, for Reasons as above assigned, amounted only to Rupees 50000 and Rupees 88 ½ that Contract Price gives Candies 564 19 13 so the remaining Candies 1713 22 ½ were over & above the amount of advance, but was paid for at the Contract Price (86 7 Rupees) on Supply of Cash & Guardian, as our Consultation of 3d April above recited shews, & with regard to his old Balance noticed by the Committee it was paid out of the first Parcell of Pepper delivered in that Season as the Journal entry particularly shews, as to Muccadum Vaguy & Cheeranjy Cunhamod being said both together 212 Candies two months after they received their Advances The Quantity so advanced for was 564 19 13 (Can Mds &c) & we beg leave to assert, that at the End of Dec mo which was not more than ten Months after they both together delivered in Candies 497.12 on account those Advances, hence the Deficiency was really only 67 7.13 (Can Mds &c) & we can only further say as neither of them are so wealthy as Allupy, that had the State of our Cash permitted our advancing them as usual on account the old Contract made with them, & Allupy for none of the 12000 Bales a few days subsequent to that of the Pepper, We firmly believe they would not have been so backward if at all, their Apprehensions of the Price of Rice rising upon them, being at that time more Obvious than that of Pepper. It is certain we have never been able to bring these Merchants to be any thing like so punctual in their Engagements as Allupy has been enabled by timely Supplies of Cash to have made them proper advances, as well on account their Rice as [illegible]

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bability not only have complied in delivering the 1500 Candies of Pepper the
contracted for, but some further Quantity, only two of the Macao Ships, the
Principal competitors being arrived in these Parts, before the End of Mar.
& them both bound to Goa. As to Pedro Rodriguez, & Bapu Cursty Pattera,
tho no Contract may appear in the Diary to have been made w th the
for Pepper as is observed by the Committee, yet as they offered themselves
either that Day or the next, on the same Terms, as the other three, we look
upon them in the same Light making altogether the amount of Candies
3350 & contracted for at 88½ Rupees ⅌ Candy which very Quantity in
another Place of the Remarks, is admitted as the Amount of that Year
in order to point out the great Deficiency between it & what receives
our Advices of the 9th February, do mention our having contracted with
the former for 250 Candies, & our Treasury Account for that Month
shews also, that Rupees 10,000 & not 14,000 was advanced them the 5th on
account of said 250 Candies, as was the Sum of Rupees 2000 not 3075
in said account to the other on account of 100 Candies, the Difference
of Rupees 4000 in the one & Rupees 1075 in the other, having been
payments made them in April for Pepper delivered in over & above
their aforesaid Advances, as plainly appears in our Cash Account for
said Month & as both these were at the Advantageous Price of 88½ Rupees
⅌ Candy, We hope any defect in part of Form, in not being mentioned
in the Diary will be excuseable, for as to its Clashing with our Engagement
to the other three Merchants, had we not looked on them as Contractors in
like Manner as them, We could not dream of that, from the Ample proof
of timely supplies of Cash from the Presidency under 20th Oct. preceding, as
above contracted, & the Money so advanced them, was alike invested in Pepper
here it may not be amiss to observe, that our Advices of 13th April last
which enclose a Correct State of our Pepper Contracts, did, at the same time
explain how the Quantity of Pepper, expected from Pedro Rodriguez, on
account of Ally Ryah, differed thereon from former State
Admitting that Mr Gamieres coming to
Mangalore, to provide Rice for the Presidency was known in time for
the General Advices did these Advices or any other Requisition
he would bring Money sufficient to provide our Rice Also, and
they recommend our applying to him for Rice, Now then was he in

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the former for 250 Candies, & our Treasury Account for that Month
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account of said 250 Candies as was the Sum of Rupees 2000 not 3075
in said account to the other on account of 100 Candies, the Difference
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of timely supplies of Cash from the Presidency under 20th Oct preceding,
above extracted, & the Money so advanced them, was alike invested in Pepper
here it may not be amiss to observe, that our Advices of 13th April last
which incl. the a Correct State of our Pepper Contracts, did at the same
explain how the Quantity of Pepper, expected from Pedro Rodriguez, on
account of Ally Rajah differed therein from former states
Admitting that Mr Gambier's coming to
Nanjulore to provide Rice for the Presidency was known to us from
the General Advices, did these Advices or any other Letters ren th
he would bring Money sufficient to provide our Rice Alone, and
they recommend our applying to him for Rice, now if we had

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of the most intelligent of the Country People, that they would in all pro-
bability not only have complied in delivering the 1500 Candies of Pepper in-
contracted for, but some further Quantity, only two of the Macao Ships, the
Principal competitors being arrived in these Parts, before the End of Mar.
& them both bound to Goa, As to Pedro Rodriguez, & Bapu Cristy Pattana,
tho no Contract may appear in the Diary to have been made with them
for Pepper as is observed by the Committee, yet as they offered themselves
either that Day or the next, on the same Terms, as the other three, we look-
upon them in the same Light making altogether the amount of Candies
3350 & contracted for at 88½ Rupees ⅌ Candy which very Quantity, as
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in order to point out the great Deficiency between it & what received,
our Advices of the 9th February, do mention our having contracted with
the former for 250 Candies, & our Treasury Account for that Month
shews also, that Rupees 10,000 & not 14,000 was advanced them the 5th on
account of said 250 Candies, as was the Sum of Rupees 2000 not 3075
in said account to the other on account of 100 Candies, the Difference
of Rupees 4000 in the one & Rupees 1075 in the other, having been
payments made them in April for Pepper delivered in over & above
their aforesaid Advances, as plainly appears in our Cash Account for
said Month & as both these were at the Advantageous Price of 88½ Rupees
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in the Diary will be excuseable, for as to its clashing with our Engagement
to the other three Merchants, had we not looked on them as Contractors in
like Manner as them, We could not dream of that from the Ample prom-
of timely supplies of Cash from the Presidency under 20th Oct. preceding, as
above extracted, & the Money so advanced them, was alike invested in Pepper
here it may not be amiss to observe, that our Advices of 13th April last,
which one sole a correct State of our Pepper Contracts, did, at the same time
explain how the Quantity of Pepper, expected from Pedro Rodriguez, on
account of Ally Rajah, differed therein, from former States
Admitting, that Mr Gamieres coming to
Mangalore, to provide Rice for the Presidency was known to us in
the General Advices, did these Advices or any other Acquaintance, that
he would bring money sufficient to provide our Rice also, or
they recommend our applying to him for Rice, How then was he in

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of the most intelligent of the Country People, that they would in all pro-
bability not only have complied in delivering the 1500 Candies of Pepper in-
contracted for, but some further Quantity, only two of the Macao Ships, the
Principal competitors being arrived in these Parts, before the End of Ma.
& them both bound to Goa. As to Pedro Rodriguez, & Bapu Cutty Pottera,
there no Contract may appear in the Diary to have been made with them
for Pepper as is observed by the Committee, Yet as they offered themselves
either that Day or the next, on the same Terms, as the other three, we looked
upon them in the same Light making altogether the amount of Candies
3350 & contracted for at 88 2 Rupees ⅌ Candy which very Quantity in
another Place of the Remarks, is admitted as the Amount of that Com
in order to point out the great Deficiency between it & what receives
our Advices of the 9th February, do mention our having contracted with
the former for 250 Candies, & our Treasury Account for that Month
shews also, that Rupees 10,000 & not 14,000 was advanced them the 5th on
account of said 250 Candies as was the Sum of Rupees 2000 not 3075
in said account to the other on account of 100 Candies, the Difference
of Rupees 4000 in the one & Rupees 1075 in the other, having been
payments made them in April for Pepper delivered in over & above
their aforesaid Advances, as plainly appears in our Cash Account for
said Month & as both these were at the advantageous Price of 88½ Rs.
⅌ Candy, We hope any defect in part of Form, in not being mentioned
in the Diary will be excusable, for as to its clashing with our Engagement
to the other three Merchants, had we not looked on them as Contractors in
like Manner as them, We could not dream of that, from the Ample prom
of timely supplies of Cash from the Presidency under 20th Oct. preceding
above contract, & the Money so advanced them, was alike invested in Pepper
here it may not be amiss to observe, that our Advices of 13th April last
which or else a correct State of our Pepper Contracts, did, at the same
explain how the Quantity of Pepper, expected from Pedro Rodriguez, on
account of Ally Rajah, differed therein from former States
Admitting that the Gambier coming to
Mangalore, [illegible] Price for the Presidency was known to us [illegible]
the General Advices, did these Advices or any other Circumstance; th
he would bring money sufficient to provide our Price Also [illegible]
they recommend our applying to him for Rice, How then was he
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of the most intelligent of the Country People, that they would in all pro-
bability not only have complied in delivering the 1500 Candies of Pepper the
contracted for, but some further Quantity, only two of the Macao Shops, the
Principal competitors being arrived in these Parts, before the End of Mar
& them both bound to Goa. As to Pedro Rodriguez, & Bapu Cutty Puttera,
tho no Contract may appear in the Diary to have been made with them
for Pepper as is observed by the Committee, yet as they offered themselves
either that Day or the next, on the same Terms, as the other three, we looked
upon them in the same Light making altogether the amount of Candies
3350 & contracted for at 88½ Rupees ⅌ Candy which very Quantity in
another Place of the Remarks, is admitted as the Amount of that Contract
in order to point out the great Deficiency between it & what receives,
our Advices of the 9th February, do mention our having contracted with
the former for 250 Candies, & our Treasury Account for that Month
shews also that Rupees 10,000 & not 14,000 was advanced him the 5th on
account of said 250 Candies as was the Sum of Rupees 2000 not 3075
in said account to the other on account of 100 Candies, the Difference
of Rupees 4000 in the one & Rupees 1075 in the other, having been
payments made them on April for Pepper delivered in over & above
their aforesaid Advances, as plainly appears in our Cash Account for
said Month & as both these were at the advantageous Price of 88½ R.
⅌ Candy, We hope any defect in part of Form, in not being mentioned
in the Diary will be excuseable, for as to its Clashing with our Engagement
to the other three Merchants, had we not looked on them as Contractors in
like Manner as them, We could not dream of that, from the Ample prom
of timely supplies of Cash from the Presidency under 20th Oct preceding,
above extracted, & the Money so advanced them, was alike invested in Pepper
here it may not be amiss to observe, that our Advices of 13th April last,
a Back-in-Place a Correct State of our Pepper Contracts, did, at the same
explain how the Quantity of Pepper, expected from Pedro Rodriguez, on
account of Ally Rajah, differed therein, from former states
Admitting that Mr Gambier coming to
Mangalore to provide Rice for the Presidency was known to us from
the General Advices, did these Advices or any other Letters ha[illegible]
he would bring money sufficient to provide our Rice [illegible]
they recommend our applying to him for Rice, How then was he

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annual Provision of Rice for this Garrison by Contract, standing upon us from the Presidency, as the most preferable, with the Dates of Contracts, as the 16th March 1757, the Endeavours we made in our Consultation of February, to agree for the whole Quantity on Short at 7 5/8 Bali [illegible] found, we hope, to have been most for the Honble Company's [illegible] for the Reasons there assigned, every Way Merchantable, [illegible] flatter Ourselves the extraordinary Forbearance shown of our have contributed to raise the Price of Rice in Bengal, [illegible] our parts, if true in Effect; But on Short we cannot but confess, it has occurred to our Weak Judgements, that the annual provision of [illegible] for so numerous a Garrison, with Stores of War too, should be [illegible] to a few Days, much less Hours, before the Rainy Season set in, [illegible] the Quantity we did lay in, was not erroneously calculated, from [illegible] Remains in January 1760, when the Subsequent Years Contract [illegible] made, not being more than Sufficient for our Expences until [illegible] new Rice could be brought down.

SECONDLY To our not recovering such outstanding Debts as [illegible] in our Power. This indeed at first Sight appears a most heavy Charge, but when it is observed, that, that Assertion, however positive, is grounded on no better foundation, than the Expression of Good Debts, used in the prescribed form of our as well as all other Calculates of Quick merely to distinguish from the others on the Books, judged either more precarious or as desperate Debts, that vanishes as soon as read, with it the fair Superstructure of Statements raised thereon, as were ever before treated such Debts, tho' termed good, as somuch ready money recoverable at Pleasure; The Reverse we assert, of those alluded to in [illegible] Calculates of Quick Stock, & if our general List of Debts to the 31st [illegible] last be reperused, we make no Doubt, there will be more Reason to expunge that additional Sum of Rupees 3916.1.10 with that of the Old 55739.1.04 before taken from the Quick Stock, than retain either for the greatest Part, if not the whole of them being outstanding, with the Reasons assigned for the same, so long as upwards of 12 Months after we are censured, for not recovering them at Pleasure & advancing them to our Merchants on Recovery Report; but even admitting the word in "Recoverable" used in that List, to bear that uncommon Construction, the Amount of Rupees 13,000, cannot then be fairly made out from it, which falls very short of Rupees 57,653.3.02. As to the Gold deposited by Mr Dorm

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annual Provision of Rice for the Garrison by Contract, [illegible] from the Presidency, as the most preferable, [illegible] Dated the 16th March 1757, the Endeavours we made in our Consultation February to agree for the whole [illegible] on Smart & Bailey [illegible] found, we hope, to have been correct for the Honble Company's [illegible] for the Reasons there assigned, every way Merchantile & [illegible] We flatter Ourselves the extraordinary Influence Mr Cambay [illegible] contributed to raise the Price of Rice on Mr Cambay, was undoubtedly [illegible] our parts if true in Effect, But on short, we cannot but confess, it [illegible] occurred to our Weak Judgements, that the annual provision [illegible] for so numerous a Garrison, even Time of War too, Would begin [illegible] to a few Days, much less Hours, before the Rainy Season setting in, the Quantity we did lay in, was not erroneously calculated, [illegible] Remains in January 1760, when the Subsequent Grain Contracts made, not being more than Sufficient for our Expences until [illegible] new Rice could be brought down.

SECONDLY "To our not recovering such outstanding Debts as in our Probe" This indeed at first Sight appears a most heavy Charge but when it is observed, that, that Assertion, however positive, is [illegible] on no better foundation, than the Expression of Good Debts, noted in the prescribed form of our as well as all other Calculates of Quick merely to distinguish from the others on the Books, judged either more precarious or as desperate Debts, it vanishes as soon as read with it, the fair Superstructure of Statements raised thereon, as who ever before treated such Debts, tho' termed good, as so much ready Cash recoverable at Pleasure; The Reverse we assert, of those alluded to in [illegible] Calculates of Quick Stock, & if our general List of Debts to the 31st [illegible] last be reperused, we make no Doubt, there will be more Reason to expunge that additional Sum of Rupees 3916.1.10 with that of the Sum 55739 1.04 before taken from the Quick Stock, than retain either of the greatest Part, if not the whole of them being outstanding, with the Reasons assigned for the same, so long as upwards of 12 Months after we are censured, for not recovering them at Pleasure & advancing them to our Merchants on Account Report; but even admitting the word "Recoverable" used in that List, to bear that uncommon Construction, the Amount of Rupees 13000, cannot then be fairly made out from it, which falls very short of Rupees 57650.3.02. Cato the Gold deposited by Mr Dom

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annual Provision of Rice for this Garrison by Contract, [illegible]
us from the Presidency, is the most preferable, which [illegible] salary [illegible]
the 16th March 1757, the Undersigned were made in our Consultation of
February to agree for the whole Quantity in Dispute at 9 3/4 Rupees [illegible]
found, we hope, to have been meant for the Honble Company [illegible]
& for the Reasons there assigned, by a Merchantile & proper [illegible]
flatter Ourselves the extraordinary Influence drawn of our [illegible]
contributed to raise the Price of Rice in Mr Cambier's unwieldy [illegible]
our parts, of true in Effect, But in short we cannot but [illegible] left [illegible]
occurred to our Weak Judgements, that the annual provision [illegible]
for so numerous a Garrison, & in Time of War too, would be [illegible]
to a few days, much less Hours, before the Rainy Season set in &
the Quantity we did lay in was not erroneously calculated, [illegible]
Remains in January 1760, when the Subsequent Year's Contract
made, not being more than Sufficient for our Expences until [illegible]
new Rice could be brought down.

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in our Power" This indeed at first Sight may appear a most heavy [illegible]
but when it is observed, that that Assertion however positive, is grounded
on no better foundation, than the Expression of Good Debts, used in
the prescribed form of our as well as all other Calculates of Quick
merely to distinguish from the others on the Books, judged either
more precarious or as desperate Debts, it vanishes as soon as reason
with it the fair Superstructure of Sentiments raised thereon, as we
ever before treated such Debts, tho' termed good, as so much ready Money
recoverable at Pleasure; The Reverse we assert, of those alluded to in our
Calculates of Quick Stock, & if our general List of Debts to the 31st [illegible]
last be reperused, we make no Doubt, there will be more Reason to
expunge that additional Sum of Rupees 3916.1.10 with that of the Sum
55739 1.84 before taken from the Quick Stock, than retain either of
the greatest Part if not the whole of them being outstanding, with the
Reasons assigned for the same, so long as upwards of 12 Months after we
are censured, for not recovering them at Pleasure & advancing them to
our Merchants on Account Report; but even admitting the word
"Recoverable" used in that List, to bear that uncommon Construction, the
Amount of Rupees 13000, cannot then be fairly made out from it, which
falls very short of Rupees 57633.3.02. Ans to the Gold deposited by Mr Dorn

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annual Provision of Rice for this Garrison by Contract, [illegible] as from the Presidency is the most preferable, which so long as [illegible] the 16th March 1757, the Endeavours we made in our Consult[illegible] February to agree for the whole Quantity on Short at 2 3/4 Rupees [illegible] found, we hope, to have been meant for the Honble Company's [illegible] & for the Reasons there assigned every way Merchantile & proper, [illegible] flatter Ourselves the extraordinary Difference drawn upon [illegible] contributed to raise the Price of Rice in Mr Gambier, was [illegible] our part, of true in Effect, But in short we cannot but confess, it [illegible] occurred to our Weak Judgements, that the annual provision [illegible] for so numerous a Garrison, & in Time of War too, could [illegible] to a few Days, much less Hours, before the Rainy Season set in [illegible] the Quantity we did lay in was not erroneously calculated, for [illegible] Remains in January 1760, when the Subsequent Years Contract [illegible] made, not being more than Sufficient for our Expences until [illegible] new Rice could be brought to Bombay.

SECONDLY "To our not recovering such outstanding Debts as [illegible] in our Power" This indeed at first Sight Appears a most heavy Charge but when it is observed, that, that Assertion however positive, is grounded on no better foundation, than the Exposition of Good Debts, under the prescribed form of our as well as all other Calculates of Dutch Stock merely to distinguish from the others on the Books, lodged in her more precarious or as desperate Debts, it vanishes as soon as read & with it, the fair Superstructure of Statements raised thereon, as whoever before treated such Debts, the termed good, as so much ready Money recoverable at Pleasure; The Reverse we assert, of those alluded to in our Calculates of Dutch Stock, & if our general List of Debts to the 31st [illegible] last be reperused, we make no Doubt, there will be more Reason to expunge that additional Sum of Rupees 3916.1.18 with that of the Rupees 55739.1.84 before taken from the Dutch Stock, than retain either for the greatest Part (not the whole of them being outstanding) with the Reasons assigned for the same, so long as upwards of 12 Months after we are censured, for not recovering them at Pleasure & advancing them to our Merchants on Account Report; but even admitting the word in "Recoverable" used in that List, to bear that uncommon Construction, the Amount of Rupees 13000, cannot then be fairly made out from it, which falls very short of Rupees 57652.3.02. As to the Gold deposited by Dow Dorm[illegible]

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annual Provision of Rice for the Garrison by Contract stand[illegible] upon us from the Presidency as the most favorable will that so long as on the 16th March 1757, The Endeavours we made in our Consult[illegible] February to agree for the whole Year at 2 3/4 P[illegible] found, we hope, to have been exact for the Honble Company's [illegible] for the Reasons there assigned, in any way, we should be proper [illegible] flatter Ourselves the extraordinary Influence drawn of our hav[illegible] contributed to raise the Price of Rice in Mr Gamber[illegible] our parts, if true in Effect, But in short we cannot but confess, it [illegible] occurred to our Weak Judgements, that the annual provision [illegible] for so numerous a Garrison, in Time of War too, should be [illegible] to a few Days, much less Hours, before the Rainy Season set in; the Quantity we did lay in was not erroneously calculated, [illegible] Remains in January 1760, when the Subsequent Year's Contract [illegible] made, not being more than Sufficient for our Expences until [illegible] new Rice could be brought down.

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our not disposing of that we frankly Confess, we did not in any shape esteem ourselves authorized to meddle with it, that Transaction having been referred to the Presidency ever since March 1754, mentioned again in September following & no orders given us thereon.

Lastly Our not borrowing Money on the Honble Companys Account as was practised in the Years 1741, 1742 & 1744.

In those years Domingo Rodriguez was living, whose large Capital enabled him, not only to furnish the Honble Company, but many others with large Sums of Money, at any time, when wanted, as we are credibly informed. the Case we now know to be widely different, for his Capital being divided among his numerous Family & again subdivided among their Children, often times occasions the most Wealthy of them to have little or no Money at Command especially so late in the Season as March or April, & which was actually the Case at that time, as the Chief vouches, from his own experience, he having supplied some of them in those very Months, with small Sums of Whom then was Money to be borrowed? Which we just mention to shew that those Times & the Present are noway parallel, in that Respect, nor indeed to say the Truth, did it occur to us to enquire for Money, for so very short a time, as we had so much reason to be hourly in expectation of the ample Supply of Cash, promised us under the 26th October, besides it is well known, there are but few Places in India, where any Considerable Sums of Money can be taken up at Interest, on so short a Warning & for a few days time only: & this Settlement is not of that Number.

The Penalty of one Rupee p Candy, not being included in the Merchants Account Current, was an Omission in our Accountant, tho' the Amount of it in this Contract will be but inconsiderable as may be judged from the Reasons above assigned, This Mistake will however be rectified on close of our Books ending July last with any others that may be found to have escaped our late Accountant.

Having thus answered the most material Part of the Remarks, relating to the Failure of the Pepper Contract 1753 & and as concisely as the Case would well admit, We hope they will amply clear us, of being in any Shape the Cause thereof as well to our Board as before our Honble Employers, to both or either of whose Candour and Impartiality, we most chearfully submit, well knowing that an upright & disinterested Judge will never expect Bricks to be made without Straw, We shall therefore now proceed to reply to the other Paragraphs in said Committee's Remarks.

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Having thus answered the most material Part of the Remarks, relating to the Failure of the Pepper Contract 1[illegible] and as concisely as the Case would well admit, We hope they will [illegible] clear us, of being in any Shape the Cause thereof as well to our Board as before our Honble Employers, to both or either of whose Can[illegible] or Impartiality, we most chearfully submit, well knowing that an upright & disinterested Judge will never expect Proceedings to be taken with us [illegible] therefore now proceed to reply to the other Res[illegible] of said Committee [illegible]

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Having thus answered the most material Part of the Remarks, relating to the Failure of the Pepper Contract 1754 and as concisely as the Case would well admit, We hope they will em[illegible] clear us, of being in any Shape the Cause thereof as well to our Masters as before our Honble Employers, to both or either of whose Candour we [illegible] Impartiality, we most chearfully submit, well knowing that an upright & disinterested Judge will never expect Bricks to be made without Straw, We [illegible] therefore now proceed to reply to the other three Articles in said Committee's Remarks

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our not disposing of that we frankly Confess, we did not in any shape esteem ourselves authorized to meddle with it, that Transaction having been referred to the Presidency ever since March 1754, mentioned again in Sundry following, & no orders given us thereon.

Lastly Our not borrowing Money on the Honble Companys Bill as was practised in the Years 1741, 1742 & 1744.

In those years Domingo Rodriguez was living, whose large Capital enabled him, not only to furnish the Honble Company, but many others in large Sums of Money, at any Time, when wanted, as we are credibly informed the Case we now know to be widely different, for his Capital being devided among his numerous Family & again subdivided among their Children, often times occasions the most Wealthy of them to have little or no Money at Command especially so late in the Season as March or April, & which was actually the Case at that Time, as the Chief vouches, from his own experience, He having supplied some of them in those very Months, with small Sums of Money to be borrowed. Which we just mention to shew that those Times & the Present are noway parallel, in that Respect, nor indeed to say the Truth, did it occur to us to enquire for Money, for so very short a Time, as we had so much reason to be hourly in expectation of the ample Supply of Cash, promised us under the 20th October, besides it is well known there are but few Places in India, where any Considerable Sums of Money can be taken up at Interest, on so short a Warning & for a few days Time only. & this Settlement is not of that number.

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Having thus answered the most material Part of the Remarks, relating to the Failure of the Pepper Contract 1754 and as concisely as the Case would well admit, We hope they will now clear us, of being in any Shape the Cause thereof, as will to your Board as before our Honble Employers, to both or either of whose Commands we are Impartially Obey, we most chearfully submit, well knowing that an upright & disinterested Judge will never expect Bricks to be made with no Straw, We therefore now proceed to reply to the other Presumptions in said Committees Remarks.

Bombay Castle 417 9th December 1[illegible]

our not disposing of that we frankly Confess we did not in any shape esteem ourselves authorized to meddle with it, that Transaction having been referred to the Presidency ever since March 1754, mentioned again in Sundry following Pro orders given us thereon.

Lastly Our not borrowing Money on the Hon'ble Company's Account as was practised in the Years 1741, 1742 & 1744.

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Having thus answered the most material Part of the Remarks, relating to the Failure of the Pepper Contract 1754 and as concisely as the Case would well admit, We hope they will appear clear as, it being in any Shape the Cause thereof as well to our Board as before our Honble Employers, to Vindicate the Character of whose Conduct or Impartiality, we most earnestly submit well knowing that an upright & disinterested Judge will never expect Proofs to be made with us, we therefore now proceed Lastly to the other Points [illegible] Committee Remarks

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To the Backwardness too justly com-
plained of in the Military Paymasters Account Disbursements, we
shall only here add, to what has been before mentioned of them, that it
were never wanting, on our Parts the not minuting, to remind him from
Time to Time of delivering them in, & cannot but attribute, the Neg-
lect, either to some want of Method in his Office, or giving that Atten-
thereto which was requisite. The Account for August 1750 not being so
mitted as passed in that year's Diary, must have been an Omission in
Secretary, as it was presented, but those from November to June following
could not be entered in that Diary as the 1st of these of these accounts
not presented untill the 2d August, the first Month of the 1751 Subsequent
Diary, his Septr Account not being passed till the next month, which
Measure be owing to his going to Bombay on the 13th October follow-
before it could possibly be closed, & having the general Books to close on
Return, as that for October which was the last, Mr Pellets, was passed
twenty two days after, & proves Mr Scott to have been mistaken in his
Letter of 11th July last relative to that Account, but we have now the
Satisfaction to acquaint you that since our Advices of the 22d Septr on
of Bombay Grab &c has further delivered in those of April, May, June
& August last, by which as well as many of the preceding ones, it will appear
that their several Ballances were due to him, & not by him, which he not
will be considered in his Favour.

The Land paymasters Disbursements
June, & July 1750 were duly presented to the Board, & their not being so
must have been an Omission in our Secry, but those for May & June 1750
were passed in the next Years Diary, the former in August & the latter in
The Passing at any one time more than one Account of the same Office
less disagreeable to us, than Irregular in itself but it has sometimes happened
to be unavoidable, either on account such Gentlemans Sickness, or else his
being taken off from preparing the Accounts of his immediate Office, to do
share, or Part of the General Business of the Settlement, which, every one,
their respective Offices, have more or less to write fair.

Not remembering that any Money
been paid in any Shape, on account of Capt. James Hogg nor any Suc-
Credit appearing on our Books, We were surprised to find the Sum of 4309[illegible]
so treated by the Committee, but on comparing the last Calculate of Our
Stock with the general List of Debts, We found it might have so appeared to
from said Gent. standing indorsed on the former Pay[illegible]

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Return, as that for October which was the last, Mr Hellets, was passed
twenty two days after, & proves Mr Scott to have been mistaken in his
Letter of 11th July last relative to that Account, but we have now the
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& August last, by which as well as many of the preceding ones, it will appear
that their several Ballances were due to him, & not by him which we
will be considered in his Favour.

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were passed in the next Years Diary, the former in August & the latter in
The Passing at any one time more than one Account of the same Office
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being taken off, from preparing the Accounts of his immediate Office, to do
share, or Part, of the general Business of the Settlement, which, every one, over
their respective Offices, have more or less to write for.

Not remembering that any Money
been paid in any Shape, on account of Capt. James Hogg nor any such
credit appearing on our Books, We were surprised to find the Sum of 4309
so treated by the Committee, but on comparing the last Calculation of Land
stock with the general List of Debts, We find it ought have so appeared to be
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To the Backwardness so justly complained of in the Military Paymasters Account Disbursements, we shall only here add, to what has been before mentioned of them that we were never wanting on our Parts the not minuting, to remind him from Time to Time of delivering them in, & cannot but attribute the Neglect, either to some want of Method in his Office, or giving that Attention thereto which was requisite. The Account for August 1750 not being so minuted as passed in that year's Diary, must have been an Omission in our Secretary, as it was presented, but those from November to June following could not be entered in that Diary as the 1st of these of the Accounts not presented untill the 2d August, the first Month of the the subsequent Diary, his Sept.r Account not being passed till May next must in a measure be owing to his going to Bombay on the 13th October following before it could properly be closed, & having the general Books to close on his Return, as that for October which was the Last, Mr Pellett, was passed twenty two days after, & proves Mr Scott to have been mistaken in his Letter of 11th July last relative to that Account, but we have now the Satisfaction to acquaint you that since our Advices of the 22d September from Bombay Grab, he has further delivered in those of April, May, June & August last, by which as well as many of the preceding ones, it will appear that their several Ballances were due to him, & not by him, which we hope will be considered in his Favour.

The Land Paymasters Disbursements June, & July 1750 were duly presented to the Board, & their not being on minuted must have been an Omission in our Secry, but those for May & June 1750 were passed in the next Years Diary, the former in August & the latter in [illegible] The Passing at any one time more than one Account of the same is not less disagreeable to us than Irregular in itself but it has sometimes happened to be unavoidable, either on account such Gentlemans Sickness, or else his being taken off from preparing the Accounts of his immediate Office, to do some share or Part of the general Business of the Settlement, which, every one, besides their respective Offices, have more or less to write fair.

Not remembering that any Money been paid in any Shape, on account of Capt.n James Hogg nor any such Credit appearing on our Books, We were surprised to find the Sum of £3089 so treated by the Committee, but on comparing the last Calculate of Pay Stock with the general List of Debts, We find it ought have so appeared to the Hon.ble Court [illegible] in the former Rust [illegible]

Bombay Castle — 9th December 17[illegible]

To the Backwardness too justly complained of in the Military Paymasters account Disbursements, we shall only here add, to what has been before mentioned of them, that it were never wanting on our Part, the not minuting, to remind him from Time to Time of delivering them in, & cannot but attribute the neglect, either to Some want of Method in his Office, or giving that Attention thereto which was requisite. His account for August 1750 not being minuted as passed in that year's Diary, must have been an Omission in our Secretary, as it was presented, but those from November to June following, could not be entered in that Diary as the 1st of these accounts not presented untill the 2d August, the first Month of the the Subsequent Diary, his Sept.r Account not being passed till May next, might in some measure be owing to his going to Bombay on the 23d October following before it could properly be closed, & having the general Books to close on his Return, as that for October which was the late Mr. Pellett, was passed twenty two days after, & proves Mr. Scott to have been mistaken in his Letter of 11th July last relative to that Account, but we have now the Satisfaction to acquaint you that since our Advices of the 22d September & Bombay Grab. He has further delivered in those of April, May, June, & August last, by which as well as many of the preceding ones, it will appear that their several Ballances were due to him, & not by him, which we hope will be considered in his Favour.

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Not remembering that any Money been paid in any Shape, on account of Capt. James Hogg, nor any such credit appearing on our Books, We were surprised to find the Sum of £[illegible] so treated by the Committee, but on comparing the last Calculate of Lucas Stock with the general list of Debts, We find it might have so appeared to him from said Hogg's standing indebted in the former Rust[illegible]

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so treated by the Committee, but on comparing the last Calculate of Live
Stock with the annual list of Debts, We find it might have so appeared to Mr
from said Mr. Standing inclosed in his former Pub.l Letter

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Rupees 759. 2. 00 his real Debt, that difference having been add
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Capt.n Galliard & not Capt.n Hogg as was evidently meant by the sense
of the Paragraph, the Latter's Name not being so much as mention
in it.

Permit us to close this Reply with
begging pardon for the extraordinary Trouble the Committee have
had, in pointing out so many Instances of Remissness, in the seve
Accounts from this Settlement, but which we hope will be attend
with this good Effect, that as every Gentleman in his different
Office now sees the Rules, by which All Accounts under the
Presidency are examined they will be more careful to avoid
censure in future.

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4th November 1760

Thomas Hodges
Titus Scott
Thomas Satchwell
James Ryley
William Sayer
William Ashburner

Honble Sirs & Sirs

In obedience to your Orders under date 23
Ult.o We went on the Friday following to the Powder House, & filled, from
ously twenty (20) Bottles of Gunpowder, out of the three Hundred and Ninety
(390) Barrels, new made therein, keeping the same in our Custody the time
limited, when a Trial was then made by us, out of Two, Four & an half i
Cohorn Brass Mortars, The one from England (whose Chamber is bore
twelve (12) Ounces) loaded with three (3) ounces, & the other cast lately by ba
Pemble with one Ounce (which exactly filled its Chamber) the several
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censure in future

Tellicherry
4th November 1760

Thomas Hodges
Titus Scott
Thomas Satchwell
James Ryley
William Taylor
William Ashburner

Honble Sir & Sirs

Sale of gunpowder

In obedience to your Orders under date 2d
Ult.o We went on the Friday following, to the Powder House, & filled, from
ously twenty (20) Bottles of Gunpowder, out of the three Hundred and Ninety
(390) Barrels, now made therein, keeping the same, in our Custody the time
limited, when a Signal was then made by us, out of Two, Four pan half
Coborn Brass Mortars, the one from England (whose Chamber is bore
twelve (12) Ounces) loaded with three (3) ounces, & the other cast lately by Co
Pemble with one Ounce (which exactly filled its Chamber) the several
Ranges whereof are subjoined to the [illegible] together
different Powder, obtained from the Europe & other Ships & Vessels for
[illegible]

Bombay Castle — 9th December 1.

of Rupees 759.. 2.88 his real Debt, that difference having been ada
seems by our late Accountant & passed unobserved by us in the Du
Stock, & arose from his Misunderstanding the Paragraph in your
Commands of 16th August 1757 wherein you direct our recovering the
Sum on Account of Capt.n Galliard, & in such case giving your Presiden
credit for it. It is true that all Stoppages for the Artillery Detachment
had been received by Capt.n Hogg, but had he paid any Money on Accou
of Capt Galliard, Account Current Bombay would undoubtedly have
been credited for it, specifying it, the Sum to be received on Account of
Capt.n Galliard & not Capt.n Hogg as was evidently meant by the sense
of the Paragraph, the Latter's Name not being so much as mention.
in it.

Permit us to close this Reply with
begging pardon for the extraordinary Trouble the Committee have
had, in pointing out so many Instances of Remissness, in the seve
Accounts from this Settlement, but which we hope will be attena
with this good Effect, that as every Gentleman in his different
Office now sees the Rules, by which all Accounts under the co
Presidency are examined they will be more careful to avoid
censure in future.

Thomas Hodges
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Tellicherry
4th November 1760

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In obedience to your Orders under date 4th
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limited, when a Signal was then made by us, out of Two, Four & an half
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Pemble with one Ounce (which exactly filled its Chamber) The several
Ranges whereof are subjoined to the 4th [illegible] together [illegible]
different Powder, obtained from the Europe & other Ships [illegible] for

Bombay Castle — 4 December 1

Rupees 739. 2. 00 his real Debt that difference having been ad[illegible] seems by our late Accountant & passed unobserved by us in the 2[illegible] Stock, & arose from his Misunderstanding the Paragraph in your Commands of 16th August 1757 whereby you direct our recovering the Sum on Account of Capt. Galliard, & in such case giving your Presidency Credit for it. It is true that all Stipends for the Artillery Establishment not been received by Capt. Hogg but he has paid any Money on Acc[illegible] of Capt Galliard, Account Current Bombay would undoubtedly have been created for it, specifying it, the Sum to be received on Account of Capt. Galliard & not Capt. Hogg as was evidently meant by the Sense of the Paragraph, the Latter's Name not being so much as mentioned in it.

Permit us to close this Reply with begging pardon for the extraordinary Trouble the Committee have had, in pointing out so many Instances of Remissness, in the several Accounts from this Settlement, but which we hope will be attended with this good Effect, that as every Gentleman in his different Office now sees the Rules, by which All Accounts under the [illegible] Presidency are examined they will be more careful to avoid censure in future.

Thomas Hodges
Titus Scott
Thomas Satchwell
James Ryley
William Taylor
William Ashburner

Tellicherry
4th November 1760

[illegible] — Honble Sir & Sirs

In obedience to your Orders under date [illegible] 1759, We went on the Sunday following to the [illegible] House & filled from [illegible] only twenty (20) Bottles of Gunpowder, out of the three Hundred and [illegible] (300) Barrels on a made Stancon, having the same [illegible] Bottles from [illegible] when a Signal was then made by us, out of two, Four & [illegible] Bottom Brass Mortars the one from England (to have Chambers [illegible] twelve (12) Ounces) loaded with three (3) Ounces & the other cast lately by [illegible] Pemble with one Ounce which exactly fitted the Chamber) the same [illegible] Ranges whereof are so [illegible] different Powder obtained from [illegible] Europe & other Stages [illegible] for [illegible]

Bombay Castle — 6 December 1.

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Permit us to close this Reply with
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with this good Effect, that as every Gentleman in his different
Office now sees the Rules, by which all Accounts under the co
Presidency are examined they will be more careful to avoid
censure in future.

Thomas Hodges
Titus Scott
Thomas Satchwell
James Ryley
William Taylor
William Ashburner

Tellicherry
4th November 1760

Extract Mr Hodges

In obedience to your Orders under date 2
Inst. We went on the Friday following to the Powder Mill, from
ously twenty (20) Barrels of Gunpowder, out of the three Hundred and fourty
(340) Barrels once made there, keeping the same for our Use, the Fro
Mill when a Signal was then made by us, out of Two, Four Iron Howitz
Coborn 13 ass Mortars, the one from England, whose Chamber is bore
twelve (12) Ounces Coarse Shot, the other cast Lately by Lan
Pemble with one Pound of which exactly filled its Chamber, the same was
Ranges whereof are subjoined to the [illegible]
different Powder obtained from the Fire of the Shells for

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

NO : 20-I

YEAR : 1747

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

DATE : 03/09/2017

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Bombay Castle: [illegible] 1874

Report of the Public Works Secretary

Honble Sir & Sirs

In Compliance to the Orders received from your Honors under the 16th ult. on questions so long pending on the Point to whom I communicated the Contents of your Instructions & desired his Sense to know what Persons or Person we might be desirous for were to be employed. and as neither the Purchase of the Stores nor any of the Accounts were communicated to any of the Sports in particular I sent for the Armory & the Master Carpenter who accompanied me in the Survey & now lay before your Honors & Council &c —

The greatest part of Masonry and Carpentry Work is very well executed & only the Roofing of the Armory & Flag Staff is ill done; I shall therefore proceed to such Alterations and Repairs as are not included in the Report, & calculate exp.

The Roof of one of the upper Rooms of the Chief's Apartments is now tongued &c —

There is a small Passage with a Tongue Floor, a new Door & Window opened, a Pentice for a Veranda, Bathroom tongued & another enlarged by carrying out a Wooden Front in Mr Vaches apartment.

In Mr Fraser two Quarters are converted into two new Rooms & the Kitchen &c removed there also one and which it is said is convenient to the second House in the Chief's Kitchen almost entirely rebuilt.

A double Staircase in the Mint is for our Yard has been pulled down and rebuilt again. There is one Room on the upper Story. The Northend & is entirely filled with Rattanjung in an Old Window, the Charges of the whole amounting to Rupees 2551 14 as appears by the annexed particular Account.

The Repairs of Mr Hopes Bungalow seem to have been absolutely necessary as I was informed the Rain fell thro' so as to render it uninhabitable; & the Terrace of Mr Cudlow's Room seem to have been equally so as the Ceiling was either cracked or broken by constantly the Carpenter a Partition Wall which supported

Bombay Castle. [illegible]

Monthly for [illegible]

Hon'ble Robert Rowe
Chief Secretary

In Obedience to your Honour's Orders under the 20th ult. I proceeded to visit the Fort to inform I Communicated the Letter and Instructions & received his Orders to have such Gentlemen such Persons as there might be necessary for [illegible] and as another the Detection of the Original of the Accounts such as in reference to any of the Gentlemen in particular I sent for the Honorary & Civil Architects in Bombay Carpenter who accompanied me in the Survey & are ready before your Honour & Council.

The greatest part of Repairs found very much wanted & only the Erection of the proposed Veranda & Flag Staff is done I have therefore proceeded under Alterations and Repairs as are not included in the Original Calculation &c.

The Roofs & floors of the upper Rooms of the South Apartments are now renewed.

Part of annex Premises with a terrace Floor, a new Staircase, a new Door & window opened, a Portico for a Veranda, Bathroom terraced & another enlarged by carrying up a Wooden Front on the Widdow's apartment.

In Mr Fraser two Verandas are converted into two new Rooms & the Kitchen has received the also one end which it is said is common to the somewhat Hospital Hidden almost entirely with

A double Staircase in the Room to front Yard is been pulled down and round again Erection new Room on the upper Terrace of the Architect Hall with Plastering in an Hollow way, the Charges of the whole amounting to Rupees 2534. 4. as appears by the particular Account

The Roofs of the Hopes Bungalow seem to have been stripped by mistake as I was informed the Rain fell thro' so as to render it uninhabitable, & the Floors of Mr Vaillant's Room seem to have been equally so as the Rain was either fractured or broken by unskilfully thro' [illegible] which I supposed [illegible]

Bombay Castle: [illegible] the 6th [illegible] 1774.

Rep. of the Mahi Repair Aland Lodge

Honble Sir & Sirs

In Obedience to the Orders with which you have honoured me on the 20th of last Month on the Subject of the Commissioners Letter of the 9th Instant I have the Honor to state such Facts & Circumstances as these might be necessary for, which I am desired: and as neither the Directors of the Corpts nor any of the Accounts were communicated to any of the Gentlemen in particular I sent for the Clerks of the works & the master Bricklayer & Carpenter who accompanied me in the Survey of the Fabric before your Honors Houses.

The greatest part of the Repairs of the Aland very well executed & only the Terraces of the Support Veranda & Flag staff is done; I shall therefore proceed to the Alterations and Repairs as are not included in the Report of Calculation viz.

The Roof of one of the upper Rooms of the Chiefs Apartments is now tenaded &c.

There is a house Building with a tenaded Floor, a new Chimney, a new Door & Window opened, a Pantry for a Veranda, Bathroom tenaded & another enlarged by carrying out a Wooden Front on a Mr Gardiner's apartment.

In Mr Fraser two Verandas are converted into two new Rooms & therefore omitted there also one end which is said is common to the same House & the Chiefs Kitchen almost entirely rebuilt.

A double Staircase in the Chinnah Ko at Sion has been pulled down and rebuilt again there is a new Room on the upper Terrace of the outside end, & repaired throughout with Pantaging in an Old Warehouse, the charges of the whole amounting to Rupees 2591 14 as appears by the particular Account.

The Repair of Mr Hopes Bungalow seems to have been absolutely necessary as I was informed the Rain had so far to render it uninhabitable, & the Survey of Mr Gardiner Room seems to have been equally so as the Roof Cracked or other fractures or broken by unskilfull hands from a Partition Wall which supported it.

Barrackpore [illegible]

Report for [illegible]

[illegible] Hon'ble Court under the 10th ult. on [illegible] waited on the Chief to whom I communicated the [illegible] Instructions & invited his aid to know what Persons or Place might be necessary [illegible] stand and as neither the Direction of the [illegible] care of the Accounts were [illegible] to any of the [illegible] in particular I sent for the [illegible] Carpenter who accompanied me in the Tour [illegible] before your Hon'ble Court.

The greatest part of Repairs [illegible] Stand very were executed & only the [illegible] of the upper Veranda & Flag Staff [illegible] done, Those Repairs proved [illegible] Alteration and Repairs as are not included in the [illegible] of Calculation [illegible].

The Roof of one of the upper Rooms of the Chief's Apartments is now tenanted [illegible]

There is a small Business with a trough Floor, a Water Closet, a new Door & [illegible] opened, a Passage for a Veranda, One Room tenanted & another occupied by carpenters on a Wooden Front in the Northern quadrant.

In the Front two Verandas are converted into two new Rooms & a Water Closet remained the [illegible] also one end which is said is common to the same House & the Chief's Kitchen almost entirely rebuilt.

A [illegible] in the Women's Court Yard has been pulled down and rebuilt upon the new Room on the upper Range of the North end & [illegible] that with Plastering in an Old House now, the Charges of the whole amount to Rupees 2591 [illegible] as appears by the particular Account.

Half part of the Hopes Bungalow seems to have been detached by inadvertency as I was informed the Rain fell thro' so as to render it uninhabitable, & the Front of the Tadkan Cover seems to have been injured so as to [illegible] or broken by unshaken [illegible] a partition wall which supports [illegible]

Bombay Castle — the 6th March 1775

Rent Letter Public Repairs
Mount Sentry

Honble Sir & Sirs

In Obedience to the Letter with which you Honrs. favoured me under the 20th Ult. on Repairs, I wrote on the Subject to Mr Commissioner Hallegrove of Instruction & desired his Leave to Hire such Boats, Men & Persons as there might be occasion for, which I have obtained: and as neither the Direction of the Repairs or the Care of the Accounts were committed to any of the Gentlemen in particular I sent for Mr Hardy & the master Mr Robert Carpenter, who accompanied me in the Survey I now lay before your Honours & Councils.

The greatest part of the proposed Alterations & Repairs were executed & only the Transoms of the Chapel Veranda & Flag Staff wd. have, Where Necessary proceed, these Alterations and Repairs as are not included in the Enclosed Calculation viz.

The Roof of one of the upper Rooms of the Chief's Apartments is now tenighted.

There is a small Business with a tenight Floor, a new Stair case, a new Door & Window opened, a Partition for a Veranda, Bathroom tenighted & another enlarged by carrying out a Wooden Front on Mr Vaddier's quarters.

In Mr Fraser two Verandas are converted into two new Rooms & the Stair Case removed there also one end which it is said is common to the same House & the Chief's Kitchen almost entirely rebuilt.

A double Staircase in the Women's Court yard has been pulled down & raised again & there is a new Room on the upper Tenight & the North end & quarter thereof with Plastering in an Mr Vaddier's House, the Charges of the whole amounting to Rupees 2531 14 as appears by the inclosed particular Account.

The Repair of the 25 Rupee Bungalow seems to have been absolutely necessary as I was informed the Rain fell thro so as to render it uninhabitable; & the Tenight of Mr Vaddier's Room seems to have been equally so as the Bed Cover was either fractured or broken by unstriking thro the Room a Partition Wall which supported the

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

NO : 31 - I

YEAR : 1755

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

DATE : 05 . 9 . 12

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91 Bombay Castle 3 February 1758.

ions, in regard to granting the Offer, which would be wanted for the Men of War at the Bar.

Saturday 4th Sailed the Dorset and Vigilant Sloops, Accompanied by the Sloop for Surat.

Imported the Fame, Captain James Stevens from Malabar Coast.

Received by the Pilot Mr Robert Lawrie of Bassa, under the 21st ultimo, a Letter from our Agencies of the 30th November & 20th December, with the Copies which accompanied the former, - that had ready in Store 73 Candies of dry Pepper, & daily expected 80 more; that there was about 200 Candies more at Anjenjah, which as he could not procure for Price below 24 Rupees, he had not contracted for, & was afraid the new Pepper would not be gathered & dry time enough for this Bombay Grab and Pattamar, but should daily advise the Chief and Factors at Tellichery of what Quantity he might procure that they might give him the Direction for the Commanders of those Vessels. - that the Cutcherie Gomashta had given him the strongest Assurances of procuring him a Parwanna, on his sending a Person to negotiate it, which the Sickness of the Prime Minister, on whom he most depended, had hitherto prevented his doing, but who being on the Recovery, he intended soon to dispatch a Person thither for that Purpose That his Balance of Cash was about 20000 Rupees, and what further Sum he might want, he could not exactly ascertain, but imagined if the Anjenjah Pepper was purchased, & the new Crop, amounted his Expectations 40000 Rupees, would at least be necessary.

Sailed the Guarda Costa Dispatch for Rajapore & the Resolution, William Tuttor Commander for Mangalore & Mascat

At a Consultation Present

The Honble Richard Bourchier Esq. President & Dr
Charles Crommelin Esq. Sir James Foulis
William Sagouche George Scott
Thomas Byfield William Mozley
Thomas Mostyn Samuel Hough

Read and Approved

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91 Downing Castle — 3. February 1758.

sons, in regard to granting the Refits, which would be wanted for the Moor Ships at the Bar.

Saturday 4th. Sailed the Tartar and Vigilant Sloops, to allow a Sight to be on for Signal.

Imported the Fame, Captain James Stevens from the Malabar Coast.

Received by the Lion from Mr. Robert Lawrie at Cross, under the 21st ultimo, having Receipt of our Advices of the 30th. Nov. and 20th. December, and the Time which accompanied the former, - That he had ready on Purchase 75 Candies of Red Pepper, & daily expected 150 more, that there was about 250 Candies more at Anchotah, which as he could not reduce the Price below 24 Rupees, he had not contracted for, & was afraid the new Pepper would not be gathered & dry Time enough for the Bombay Trade and Shipping, but should duly advise the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry, if what Quantity he might procure that may might give such Directions to the Commanders of those Vessels. That the Cutcha Commaner had given him the strongest Assurances of granting him a Perwaunah, on his sending a Person to negotiate it, which the Sentiments of the Prime Minister, on whom he most depended, had hitherto prevented his doing, but who being on the Riverby, he intended soon to dispatch a Person thither for that Purpose. That his Balance of Cash was about 20000 Rupees, and what further sum he might want, he could not exactly ascertain, but imagined if the Anchotah Pepper was purchased, & the new Crop, announced his Expectations 60000 Rupees, would at least be necessary.

Monday 5th. Sailed the Guardian and Diligence Pitch for Rajapore, & the Rochfort, William Forrester Commander for Mangalore & Mount Dilly.

At a Consultation Present -

Tuesday 7th.

The Honble Richard Bourchier Esq. President &c.
Charles Crommelin Esq. — Sir James Foulis
William Sargent Esq. — George Scott
Thomas Byfield — William Hornby
Thomas Mitchell — Samuel Mough

Read and Approved.

Mr. Lane

cers, in regard to granting the Pepper, which would be wanted for the Moor ships at the Bar.

Saturday 31st Sailed the Diamond & Spit Frigates, the latter to Sea for Surat.

Imported the 30th Captain James Stone from the Malabar Coast.

6 more letter pour Received by the Bombay Post from Mr Robert Cornier at Goa, under the 21st ultimo, having Accounts of our Letters of the 30th Nov. & 20th December, with the Letter which accompanied the former. That he had ready on Hand 73 Candies of the Pepper, & daily expected 150 more; that there was about 250 Candies more at Anjenga, which as he could not receive the Price below 24 Ameridans, he had not contracted for. He was afraid the most Pepper would not be gathered & dry Time enough for the Bombay Boat and Shidroff, but should daily advise the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry, of what Quantity he might procure that they might give us the Directions to the Commanders of those Vessels. That the Portuguese Government had given him the strongest Assurances of granting him at Purmauna, on his sending a Person to negotiate it, in Virtue the Letters of the Prime Minister, on whom he must depend, had hitherto prevented his doing, but notwithstanding on the Receipt, he intended soon to dispatch a Person thither for that Purpose. That his Ballance of Cash was about 20000 Rupees, and what further Sum he might want, he could not exactly mention, but imagined if the Anjengo Pepper was purchased, & the new Copy, amounted his Expedition 40000 Rupees, would at least be necessary.

Monday 5th Sailed the Guarsam and Dispatch for Rajipore & the Rest Galley William Sullivan Commander for Mangalore & Mirjan.

Tuesday 7 At a Consultation Present

The Honble Richard Bourchier Esq. President &c.
Charles Crommelin Esq. Sir James Foulis
William Sequeira George Scott
Thomas Byfield William Mosley
Thomas Wauchope Samuel Hough

Read & Approved our last

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

NO : 30- II

YEAR : 1757

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

DATE : 05/09/20

DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

NO : 30- II

YEAR : 1757

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

DATE : 05/09/20

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Bombay Castle — 12 July 1806

agreeable to the Stockkeepers Valuations.

Approved the same be accordingly done.

Bing. N. Frankenden to be sent thither.

provided on the Fort William Schooner for the service of Bengal & Pondicherry as Money to be received — Mr Thomas Mansfield representing the

Customs, on the exchange supposed to be repaid.

Captain Samuel Leach has been charged Customs here on Sandalwood consigned last Year from Cheraly amounting to Rupees Two thousand & forty & (2045) tho' the Customs had been collected at that place, as appears, since the Pagoda Master's Certificate lately produced by Captain [illegible] the Charge proceeded from his being on Duty at Cheraly, [illegible]

506. Mr Dyfold is directed to repay the same to him.

Ord. Jannaby [illegible]

Bengal Traders designed for Madras, not to pay Customs.

who brought some Freight Bales, hither in March last, which the Bombay Gal. Indiaman carry to Madras, praying that they may not be [illegible] Duties, unless they are able to dispose of them here. As and to supply Provisions, especially as they must suffer by the disappointment.

The Committee of Finance report that

Accounts reported & passed.

they have examined the last Accounts from Surat & [illegible] also the following, which they not objecting to, are now passed.

Marine Paymasters Adjustments with the General & Military Stockkeeper, and Land Pay Masters Receipts and Issues in February, March & April.

Madras Customs, for last Month

Land & Pay Masters Receipts and Issues in February. Mar[illegible] April, with the Accounts from Cutcherry, Inspected & signed by the Committee.

Signed to the Committee

Edgworth

C. D. Mitchell

Charles Malet

Geo. Scott

H. Forbes

Pay

W. Bengwidder

J. B. Gold

W. Hornby

Jonathan Duncan

Bombay Castle — 12 July 1816

Agreeable to the Storekeeper's Valuations.

Ordered that the bale accounts received from the Fort William & Calcutta for the house of Donald & Trading as Mr may be allowed accordingly.

Bengal, Gunpowder to be sent Stores.

Mr Thomas Bigfield representing that Captain Samuel Swift has lately charged Customs here on Gunpowder received last Year from Bengal, amounting to Rupees Two thousand Six hundred (2065) tho' the Customs had been collected at that place as appears from a Petty Masters Certificate lately produced by Captain [illegible] in charge proceeded from his being on Duty at Mocha, [illegible] 1756, Mr Bigfield is directed to repay the same to him.

Customs, on Exchange expunged, not to be paid.

Ord. Pannaiya [illegible] who brought some Knight's Bales, hither in March last, much the Worse for Wear, and not carry to Mocha, praying that they may not be [illegible] thereon, unless they are able to dispose of them here, his [illegible] Month, especially as they must suffer by the disappointment.

Knight's Bales designed for Mocha. Pay not to pay Customs.

The Committee of Accounts report that they have examined the last Accounts from Surat & [illegible] also the following, which they not objecting to, are now passed.

Marine Paymasters Accounts with the General & Military Storekeeper; and Land Paymasters Receipts and Issues in February, March & April.

Marine Customs, for last Month.

Land Paymasters Receipts and Issues in February, March & April, with the Accounts from Surat, Inspected & referred to the Committee.

Accounts inspected & passed.

Referred to the Committee.

Adjourned.

G. Dundas
Chas Commodore
[illegible]
W. Hodgson
George Scott
T. Bigfield
W. Hornby
Hamilton

Bombay Castle — 12th July 1821

Agreeable to the Storekeepers Valuation.

Approved that an Indent be made on the Fort William Schooner for the Income of Bonnaulle's Residency as the money is allotted accordingly.

Mr Thomas Bayfield representing that Captain Samuel Lewis has been charged Customs here on Sundries received in last Year from Surat, amounting to Rupees Three thousand & forty (3045) the that Customs had been collected at that place, on approval of Pattey Master Coopers Letter produced by Captain [illegible] Charge proceeded from his being on Duty at Surat, [illegible] 1816, Mr Bayfield is directed to repay the same to him.

Bengal Gunpowder to be sent thither.

Customs, on Sundries, represented to be overcharged to be repaid.

Ordered, Pannaboye [illegible] who brought some Freight Boats, hither in March last, and the Company had no Goods to carry to Mocha, praying that they may not [illegible] Freight unless they are able to dispose of them here. As [illegible] month, especially as they must suffer by the disappointment.

Freight Boats designed for Mocha Why not to pay Customs.

The Committee of Accounts report that they have examined the last Accounts from Surat & [illegible] above the following which they not Objecting to, are confirmed.

Marine Paymasters Disbursements with the General & Military Storekeeper; and Land Pay Masters Receipts and Issues for February, March & April.

Marine Customs, for last Month

Land & Pay Masters Receipts and Issues in February, Mar[illegible] and April, with the Accounts from Cambaym, Inspected & signed by the Committee.

Accounts reported & confirmed.

Accounts for the month.

Disapproved.

[signatures]

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Bombay Castle — 17 July 1816

agreeable to the Storekeeper's Valuations.

Agreed that some lads be sent down to Bombay for the Marine & Commissariat Departments as the most eligible measure.

Bengal Gunpowder to be cast ashore.

Mr Thomas Bigfold representing that Captain Samuel Lord has been charged Customs here, on Gunpowder consigned last Year from Bengal, amounting to Rupees Three Thousand Six hundred & forty (2015) tho' the Customs had been collected at that place, as appears from a Petty Masters Certificate lately produced by Captain [illegible] Charge proceeded from his being on Duty at Bengal, [illegible] 1816. Mr Bigfold is directed to repay the same to him.

Customs, on Merchandize erroneously, overcharged to be repaid.

Nord. Bannerjee [illegible] who brought some Knight's Dates, hither in March last, much the Bombay Grab, intended to carry to Mocha, praying that they may not [illegible] Duties, unless they are able to dispose of them here, his agent [illegible] month, especially as they must suffer by the disappointment.

Nought Dates designed for Mocha, they not to pay Customs.

The Committee of Revenue report that they have examined the last Accounts from Bombay & Surat, and also the following which they not deeming to, are now passed.

Accounts reported & passed.

Marine Paymasters Disbursements with the General & Military Storekeepers, and Land Pay Masters Receipts and Issues in February, March & April.

Marine Customs, for last Month [illegible] Pay Masters Receipts and Issues in February. [illegible] Ahmed, with the Accounts from Bombay, Inspected & referred to Committee.

Referred to the Committee.

Approved.

C. D. Murchison
Colebrooke
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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

NO : 27 - II

YEAR : 1754

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

DATE : 06/09/

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[illegible] Lawrence [illegible] Lucknow [illegible]

[illegible] Lucknow [illegible]

[illegible] Lucknow [illegible]

[illegible] Lucknow [illegible]

[illegible] Lucknow [illegible]

[illegible] Lucknow [illegible]

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Bermudas Island

[illegible] Commodore [illegible]

[illegible] Proposal [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Proposal [illegible]

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Bombay Castle

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Commodore Dance

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Bombay Cas. Ill.

Lawrie, assigned them, as fast they [illegible] they
made their great remonstrance on Monday [illegible]
the offer offered at Bolery; that the Minister of
Bengal being the Person, the Mountainous Under
vised, they were disbarthen'd Heave of Duty, the
Lawrie intended them the Seasons, which they
were not able & desired the to restore [illegible]
part of what they had, and the [illegible]
the side. The other refused to [illegible]
Remonstrance. [illegible] made our Noble Master by [illegible]
more Letters, [illegible] which they [illegible]
the Information we could give, that they may
be enabled to decide the Case clearly to them. [illegible]
the Bill for 25000 Dollars Respect [illegible]
Difficult Case [illegible] Correspondence, which they [illegible]
[illegible] to complete [illegible] been [illegible]
with what are [illegible] by the [illegible]
together [illegible] Great Respects [illegible] to the
Hong, [illegible] also the [illegible]
by the Contractor, which they [illegible]
[illegible] offered, [illegible]
[illegible] to the [illegible] Correspondency [illegible]
[illegible] Hong [illegible] 25000 [illegible]
[illegible] Hong [illegible] at the Hong [illegible]
Respect [illegible] consideration, that the [illegible]
[illegible] them [illegible]
[illegible] received [illegible]
[illegible] Hong [illegible] received a Question of
[illegible] 1775, & [illegible] forward to Bengal, [illegible]
[illegible] Great Respects on that Best.
Arrival of Ships [illegible] all the Ships from Langle to [illegible] to the Coast
of China were arrived & had been despatched on
their Voyage to Canton, & the Denham & Lord for
the Coast & Hong arrived early on Sunday, [illegible]
hastily proceeded to the latter. [illegible] forwarded
to Bengal received from Virginia, [illegible]
from Europe, & that another vessel they judged
to be a Dispatch Vessel would be sent by the next
Opportunity. That Commodore Barrett & Fleet
were to proceed [illegible] Coast of Africa.
[illegible] Commodore

Barrackpore

September 1793

Lord Macartney and good them, as fast they could, that they
[illegible] that were recovered on the Coast, which
his offer offered at Canton, that the Mandarins of
Mongol being the Viceroy, those Gentlemen had
visited, they must [illegible] their Terms of Trade the
Lordship intended from the Emperor, which they
were not able & unwilling to [illegible] to
part of what they had, and to [illegible]
the Trade. The other refused to [illegible]
had been made our Humble Ministers by [illegible]
[illegible] Letters, [illegible] which they [illegible]
the Information we could give, that they [illegible]
[illegible] to [illegible] the Court [illegible] to them
for 25000 Great Rupees [illegible]
[illegible] Horse [illegible] they [illegible]
to accept, [illegible] been [illegible]
with [illegible] we [illegible] by the [illegible]
together [illegible] 100 Great Rupees [illegible] to the
[illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible]
by the Governor, which they [illegible]
[illegible] offered, [illegible]
that to the Gentlemen Concerning [illegible]
[illegible] Horse [illegible] Dowager [illegible]
[illegible] they [illegible] at the [illegible]
Respect [illegible] that the [illegible]
[illegible] them in the [illegible]
[illegible] which they had received a Letter of
[illegible] Letter forward to Mongol, [illegible]
[illegible] Horse and Great Respect on that Head.
That all the Ships from Europe bound to the Coast
of China were arrived & had been dispatched in
due time, viz. Canton, & the Denham & Ford for
the Coast & they arrived early in [illegible]
shortly proceed to the latter. That they [illegible]
[illegible] received from Bengal, [illegible]
from Europe, & that another which they judged
to be a Dispatch Vessel had been sent by the next
Opportunity. That Commodore Barrett Orders
were to proceed [illegible] hither [illegible] Horse
[illegible] for the [illegible]

Gentlemen Mandarins

Pres. 2d. Compliments

Letter [illegible]

Spring Blossoms

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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[illegible] Letter from the Chief of Tellicherry of the 29th ult. received the 5th Inst. advised, that intelligence had reached the 29th March, accompanied by a copy of their Letter to Bombay, of the Chief of Tellicherry's having received a Letter from Cotta Tatta Nambiar, in which he informed them, that the Cotta had received an Embassy from the Chief of Mahé, with a Letter addressed to the Cotta, in which the Chief of Mahé had proposed to have a Conference with the Cotta, for the purpose of adjusting the Differences between the Cotta and the Gentlemen there. That the Chief had also proposed to come to the Cotta's Aldea, if the Cotta would give him a Safe Conduct, and promise not to detain him, which the Cotta had accepted, and promised to have a Conference with the Chief, upon his coming to Tellicherry, for the purpose of Peace, on account that present Cardamom, & the Impossibility of its being conveyed in the usual Way, by the Mahé Merchants, which he apprehended, that the Hostilities which they were engaged, had prevented people from attending to any other Business, but that there should be no further Delays. The Chief also acquainted him, of his having given Orders in the recovery of our outstanding Debts from the Malabars, which he again confirmed, adding, that Letters, which had been dispatched to Mahé, when acquainted the Chief of Mahé, that, which had been complained with, on his coming to Tellicherry, after the Prince, they were directing to request him, that Serjeant, officer, as he had before, recommended in the Complaint, & that they hoped, tho' the Chief was satisfied with all, yet, would avoid every Complaint, by giving a Commission accordingly. That notwithstanding their utmost endeavours, had been used to allege their Contractors to comply, that the Gentlemen in the Service, it appeared, were backward, which they imputed to the Public having a Contract, for a Quantity of Pepper, at a Price, which, at the time, their Contractors were engaged, however that

Chief of Mahé's Letter to the Cotta

Cotta's Conference with the Chief of Mahé

Cotta's Promise to come to Tellicherry

Cotta's Letter to Bombay

Cotta's Debts

Cotta's Contract

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The Letter from Mr John Stracy was dated the 4th Instant off of Anjedi advising that on the 16th ultimo, Heeder ally Caun made himself Master of Bednure after very little opposition on the surrender of which he march'd himself with about 5000 Sepoys & 300 Europeans to Mangulore which he heard he had Possession of & at the same time dispatched Strong Parties from his army to bring the other Forts on the sea Coast under Subjection most of which were surrendered without the least Resistance and one of those Parties consisting of 1000 Men arrived at Onore the 29 ultimo and on the same day hoisted their Colours on the Fort which was given up to them without further parley on that the Commanding officer had Promised him Protection in common with other Inhabitants tho' two days afterwards he had demand'd from him his Cousin Bandree whom he had confined in the Factory on account of his large debt and Engagements to the Honble Company and a request for the Loan of our Pattamar Boat to assist in his Operations against an Island without Onore which & some other Circumstances convinced him he could not be of any service in the Recovery of the outstanding Debts and Contracts, nor had he the least Prospect of buying a Grain of of Pepper as the Country was in a most unsettled State and it was not known in whose hands the disposal of the New Pepper might be in when ready which however would not be in a month/ on this he thought it best to return to Anjedwah to wait our Orders for his future Proceedings for as he learnt Heeder Ally Caun himself was marching towards Onore with a Considerable Body of Sepoys & Europeans to attack the Fort on an Island without which was capable of very of a very good Defence tho he thought incase he should keep Possession of that Country and should make any Force by sea that it would be greatly for the Interest to cement a Friendship with the Honble Company yet he was of the French Council would make him very cautious of granting any Privileges of Trade to the English and with regard to the

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Letter from Mr John Stracy

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to bring the other Forts on the sea Coast under Subjection most of which
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of 1000 Men arrived at Onore the 29 Ultimo and on the same day hoisted
their Colours on the Fort which was given up to them without firing a gun &
that the Commanding Officer had Promised him Protection in common
with other Inhabitants tho' two days afterwards he had demanded from
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account of his large debt and Engagements to the Honble Company and a
request for the Loan of our Pattamar Boat to assist in their Operations against
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Debts and Contracts, nor had he the least Prospect of buying a Grain of
of Pepper, as the Country was in a most unsettled State and it was not
known in whose hands the disposal of the New Pepper might be in
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Priviledges of Trade to the English and with regard to the

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Purchase of Pepper at more he foresaw a very unfavourable Crop and [illegible] Rang Pamot and Narrar proy great Influence with the [illegible] they had obtained by devoting [illegible] getting out the Pepper of the Country into their [illegible] had paid him a visit before he left [illegible] to serve the Honble Company and use his [illegible] ment on [illegible] of the Merchants [illegible] coming all which he requested our Secretary's [illegible] his leaving more he had represented the [illegible] business required his absence for a few days but had left orders [illegible] with some Deputy to assist our Gentlemen who would attend to any Transactions that might offer in behalf of the Honble Company In a Postscript informed us he had supplied this Boat with 15 days Provisions —

Helena Letter from — That from the Governour & Council at St Helena bore date the 23 Jany acknowledged our Letters by the Egmont and Grand such, desires to be [illegible] supplied with 300 Pieces of Sacat Chelloes and the rest of the 8 P Cent in Rice and Paddy and enclosed a List of Ships arrival & Departure there from 19 May 1762

Canton Letter from — That from the Supercargoes of Council at Canton bore date the 8 Novemb 1761 wherein they acknowledged our Letter of the 5 May 1762 by our Honble Masters Ship True Briton, whose Cargoe they had sold but found a deficiency and Damage on the Cotton, Pepper and Bulchuck tho' they had gained considerable Profit by the two first articles, the Quantity of the Latter brought that year had so fully stocked the Market that if we proposed sending any this it should not exceed a hundred Peculs which would probably answer, that Sandal Wood 1st and 2d Sorts of the same Colour with that sent in 1760 Cotton & Pepper would bear a very good Price there next year, that the earliest Intelligence Relative to their Affairs being of the greatest consequence to the Honble Company they desired we would send them annually by each of the Accaco Ships as well as our own, a List of what Ships might be expected from Europe and India to arrive at Canton specifying their Intended Routes, the time [illegible] to Sail and where they were when the last advices came away that they might be enabled to judge of the Probability of their [illegible] Cargoes (and if we were) acquainted with the Price and

Bombay Castle — 16 Oct 1762

Purchase of Pepper at onore he foresaw a very unfavourable Circumstance in Rang Camot and Narranjoy great Influence with the New Government wh they had obtained by dealing the old very early and had some designs of getting all the Pepper of the Country into their own Hands the former of who had paid him a Visit before he left onore who expressed an Intention to serve the Honble Company and use his good Offices with the New Gover ment in our behalf tho he mistrusted the Sincerity of his Professions con cerning all which he requested our Particular Instructions, that previous to his leaving onore he had acquainted the Commanding officer that some business required his absence for a few days, but had left Manoojee Dewar with some Sepoys to hoist our Colours who would attend to any Transactions that might offer in behalf of the Honble Company, In a Postscript informed us he had supplied the Boat with 15 days Provisions —

Helena letter from — That from the Governor & Council at St. Helena bore date the 23 June acknowledged our Letter by the Egmont and Sandwich, desires to be Supplied with 300 Pieces of Surat Chelloes and the rest of the 8 P Cent in Rice and Caddy and enclosed a List of Ships arrival & Departure thereifrom 12 May 1762.

Canton letter from — That from the Supercargoes of Council at Canton bore date the 8th Novemb wherein they acknowledged our letter of the 5th May 1762 by our Honble Masters Ship True Briton, whose Cargoe they had sold but found a deficien and Damage on the Cotton, Pepper and Cutchuch tho they had gained c considerable Profit by the two first articles, the Quantity of the Latter brought that year had so fully stocked the Market that if we proposed sending any this it should not exceed a hundred Picots which would probably answer, that Sandal Wood 1st and 2d Sorts of the same Colour with that sent in 1760 Cotton & Pepper would bear a very good Price there next year; that the earliest Intelligence Relative to their Affairs being of the greatest consequence to the Honble Company they desired we would send them annually by each of the Maccao Ships as well as our own, a List of what Ships might be expected from Europe and India, to arrive at Canton specifying their Intended Routes, the time when proposed to Sail, and where they were when the last advices c came away that they might be enabled to judge of the Probability of their Safety in their Passage and if we were acquainted with the Surest mane

Bombay Castle — No. 1 [illegible]

Purchase of Pepper at so cheap a rate foresaw a very advantageous [illegible] Rang Samot and Nassar pays great Sp[illegible] [illegible] they had obtained by deserting their Country [illegible] of getting at the Pepper of the Country into their [illegible] had paid him a Visit [illegible] he left more a very [illegible] the Honble Company and use his Good Offices [illegible] ment in our behalf tho he must [illegible] [illegible] ing all what we requested our Resident [illegible] the leaving Crore he had acquainted the Commanding Officer that [illegible] business required his absence for a few days but that [illegible] with some Sepoys to assist our Gobrins who would attend to any Trade [illegible] that might offer in behalf of the Honble Company In a Postscript informed us he had supplied this Coast with 15 days Provisions —

Helena Letter from — That from the Governor & Council at St Helena bore date the 23 June acknowledged our Letter by the Egmont and Sandwich, desires to be [illegible] supplied with 300 Pieces of Surat Chelloes and the rest of the Present in Rice and Paddy and enclosed a List of Ships arrival & Departure there from 12 May 1762

Canton Letter from — That from the Supercargoes of Council at Canton bore date the 8th November wherein they acknowledged our Letter of the 5 May 1762 by our Honble Masters Ship True Briton, whose Cargo they had sold but found a deficiency and Damage on the Cotton, Pepper and Cutchee tho they had gained a Considerable Profit by the two first articles, the Quantity of the latter brought that year had so fully stocked the Market that if we proposed sending any this it should not exceed a hundred Peculs which would probably answer, that Sandal Wood 1st and 2d Sorts of the same Colour with that sent in 1760 Cotton & Pepper would bear a very good Price there next year, that the earliest Intelligence Relative to their Affairs being of the greatest consequence to the Honble Company they desired we would send them annually by each of the Macao Ships as well as our own, a List of what Ships might be expected from Europe and India to arrive at Canton specifying their Intended Routes, the time [illegible] proceed to sail and where they were when the last advices [illegible] that they might be enabled to judge of the Probability of their [illegible] [illegible] accounts [illegible]

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Purchase of Pepper at more he foresaw a very unfavourable Circumstance in Rang Canot and Narangroy's great Influence with the New Government who they had obtained by deserting the old very early and had some designs of getting all the Pepper of the Country into their own Hands the former of whom had paid him a Visit before he left more who expressed an Intention to serve the Honble Company and use his good Offices with the New Government in our Behalf tho he mistrusted the Sincerity of his Professions concerning all which he Requested our Particular Instructions, that Previous to his leaving more he had acquainted the Commanding officer that some business required his absence for a few days, but had left Mancojee Pirzor with some Sepoy to hoist our Colours who would attend to any Transaction that might offer in behalf of the Honble Company. In a Postscript informed us he had Supplied the Boat with 15 days Provisions.

Helena Letter from — That from the Governour & Council at St. Helena bore date the 23 June acknowledged our Letter by the Egmont and Sandwich, desires to be * * * Supplied with 300 Pieces of Surat Chelloes and the rest of the 1 P Cent in Rice and Caddy and enclosed a List of Ships arrival & Departure there from 12 May 1762.

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Bombay Castle — 1774 [illegible]

Letter of the 1st Oct. and 29th [illegible] Received the Bills from the Commissioners [illegible] Answered Then —

Letter from — Together from those Gentlemen [illegible] relative to the [illegible] Purchase a Pocket Telescope [illegible] Mr. Mechanical [illegible] having given them the [illegible] Recommended by Captain Colin Lamont [illegible] Stop in Company [illegible] Hughes Mechanic and Watchmaker [illegible] that the Mode Grab Sloop [illegible] Chatham Brigantine Dispatch [illegible] place and Fallout a large Ship belonging to their Company [illegible] Twenty two Guns [illegible] to have brought round Morocco [illegible] appeared to be [illegible] a Fort [illegible] Ten [illegible] Three Masted Grab Galley [illegible] by Mr. Lopo Tejeda Almeida who had [illegible] them they requested to be supplied with [illegible] one Month's Wages and [illegible] Rupees to be [illegible] Candeiro &c. Rupees 1065 Bal. —

Letter from Felix Farm — Read from Mr. John Stracey acknowledged receipt [illegible] Hospital Journal on which he immediately embarked and [illegible] in hopes of having a Personal Interview with Bleeden [illegible] which he was disappointed as the Commissioners [illegible] to delay their Departure for a Fortnight this which was [illegible] Security from Mesrna with no Molestation but [illegible] not accompanied with a Letter which [illegible] and not encouragement sufficient to transact any Business therein [illegible] was made going on, and as he has received [illegible] not go on shore to reside on his Duty whether this as he had [illegible] Invitation from the Commanding Officer to visit him he had [illegible] plied therewith, and on being satisfied in [illegible] the Price he [illegible] for the Use of Remittance [illegible] Remittance said that he would do them Justice [illegible] which [illegible] to obliged him to pay [illegible]

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Letter of the 1st Mt. and representing a Footsayl Captain William
Received the Bills from the Commodore and Council at Cochin but
delivered the —

Mchery Letter from — The other from those Gentlemen bore date the 16th Ultimo
purposely to enclose a Packet from Anjengo containing advices of
Frenchmen of War having given Chase the 8th of last Month to a
Bengal commanded by Captain Colin Campbell, which Ships
& Sloop in Company imagined to be Prizes, but that our Noble
Ships Boscawen and Winchelsea were not arrived when he
that a Fleet of Maratta Grabs & Gallivats had on the 12th Instant
shore at Beypore a Danish snow, & the next morning taken between
place and Calicut a large ship belonging to that Company mounting
twenty two Guns, bound to Coldetice to build a new factory & report
to have brought round 400,000 Rupees in Specie, and at the same time
appeared to the southward a Portuguese Fleet consisting of one Ship of
Line, a three Mast Grab, Galley and some Armed Manchuas commanded
by Don Lopo Joze D'Almeida. Who had sailed from Goa on quest of
them. They requested to be supplied with two sets of Scales & Beams with
one Horral Weight and advised their Remains of Pepper to be 200
Candies & of Rice 2065 Bales —

Letter from Mr John — That from Mr John Stracey acknowledged Receipt of our Commands
Royal Admiral on which he immediately embarked and came to anchor
in hopes of having a Personal Interview with Vlaeden alty cannot but
which he was disappointed as the Commander of the Island had been sent
to deliver it up to a Party of his which was there tho' he had sent him a
Security of our meeting with no Molestation but without any form, and
not accompanied with a Letter which made him look on it of little weight
and not incouragement sufficient to transact any Business there, as
was Trade going on, and as he had received some material affronts he would
not go on shore to reside, on his return further tho' as he had an
Invitation from the Commanding officer to visit him he had com-
-plied therewith, and on acquainting him with the motives of his
leaving the Place he apologized for the affair of Ramchunder
Bandarce and said he would do him Justice in it upon which he
told him the only way was to oblige him to Pay the large sum owing

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[illegible] Letter from the Commander [illegible]
received there —

[illegible] Letter from — Together from those gentlemen [illegible]
[illegible] Bengal [illegible]
[illegible] Girls School [illegible]
[illegible] Boys and a Dark [illegible]
[illegible] Lodge [illegible]
[illegible] Lodge [illegible]
[illegible] Lodge

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[illegible] Bell [illegible] Boat [illegible] to
receive the Bells from the Commander and [illegible]
[illegible] them.

[illegible] Intelligence from [illegible]

[illegible] Packet [illegible]
[illegible] by Captain [illegible]
[illegible] Company [illegible]
[illegible] Bonaparte [illegible]
[illegible] Goods [illegible]
[illegible] Buggaloes [illegible]
place and [illegible] a large [illegible] belonging to the Company [illegible]
[illegible] Gun [illegible] to have brought round 400,000 Rupees [illegible]
[illegible] appeared to be about [illegible] of
[illegible] Battery [illegible] been
[illegible] by Don Lopo [illegible] who had [illegible] for [illegible] request
[illegible] they requested to be supplied with [illegible] Company
[illegible] and [illegible] the Remainder of [illegible] to 220
Carabines [illegible] 36 [illegible]

[illegible] Mr John Stracey [illegible] the Captain [illegible]
[illegible] Boat [illegible] and [illegible]
in hopes of having a Peace [illegible] with Mr [illegible] under
which he was [illegible] the Commander [illegible] the Effect [illegible]
to deliver up to Tippoo Sultan which was there [illegible] had [illegible]
[illegible] without any [illegible]
[illegible] with a Letter which [illegible]
and not encouragement sufficient to transact any Business there
was trade going on and he had received [illegible] he was
not so [illegible] on his return [illegible] as he had an
Invitation from the Commander of [illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible] the Place [illegible] for the [illegible]
Barrier [illegible] he would [illegible] Justice [illegible]
[illegible] only [illegible]

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Letter of the Court of Directors to a Letter of the [illegible] received the bills from the commodore and [illegible] delivered them —

Weather from those gentlemen [illegible] [illegible] purposely [illegible] a Packet from [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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the Honble Company which he was able to do who assured him he would do as desired, & hoped the English would remain there as usual & be on Friendly Terms with his master to which he imagined we would readily agree and advised him so accordingly tho he thought it by no means for the Interest of the Honble Company to keep a Resident there at Present, without the grant of Certain Priviledges confirmed by a proper Firmaund, which it could not be supposed to be then done as the new Government it is probable would not make any Concessions or grant any exclusive Priviledges of Trade, till they were thoroughly acquainted with the Nature of the Country the Soliciting & settling which points must be a Work of time and as he did not know the Present Season would offer any advantageous opportunity of Purchasing Pepper for which reasons he intended proceeding hither in four or five days with the Opportunity Mr Dubald to lay before us, his Sentiments on these matters as he was of opinion nothing could be done to the advantage of the Honble Company at least for this Season tho whilst he remained there he would endeavour to prevail on the Commanding officer to assist him in the Recovery of the outstanding Debts from such Merchants as were able to pay and on his going away should leave Mancoge Pervoo to attend to such proposals as might offer either from the Government Relative to a Firmaund, or from the Merchants for any Contracts for Pepper with Instructions to endeavour at the Recovery of the Debts either in Money or Pepper, and it was not impossible but that Hyder Ally Cawn in him might be as useful friend to the Honble Company, That he should have been glad to have dispatched the Royal Admiral before he not the Present State of affairs there rendered it absolutely necessary to detain her five or six days longer —

— CAMPER the Antelope Gallivate with a Letter from the Chief & Council at Surat dated the 5 Instant bring purposely to advise they learnt by private Letters from Bengal that the three French Ships which were Cruzing off Beyloore in September were in Ballasore Road where man of Warr having then two of the Honble Company's Ships (Stanford) has been very Desirous to get it was feared our Vessels would fall into their Hands, and a Detail of one of the Prizes, which got away from it Enemy in Sight of the Report of our Honble Ship with Pots & other Goods

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the Honble Company which he was able to do who assured him he would do as desired, & hoped the English would remain there as usual & be on Friendly Terms with his master to which he imagined we would readily agree and assure him so accordingly tho he thought it by no means for the Interest of the Honble Company to keep a Residency there at Present, without the grant of certain Privledges confirmed by a proper Firmaund, which would not as supposed to be then done as the new Government its probable would not make any Concessions or grant any exclusive Privledge of Trade, till they were thoroughly acquainted with the Nature of the Country, the Soliciting & settling which from some bad Work at home and we hoped not believe the Present Season would offer any advantageous Opportunity of Purchasing Pepper for which reasons he intended proceeding hither in four or five days with his Assistant Mr Dubald to say before us, his sentiments on these matters as he was of opinion nothing could be done to the advantage of the Honble Company at least for this Season tho whilst he remained there would endeavour to prevail on the Commanding officer to assist him in the Recovery of the outstanding Debts from such Merchants as were able to pay and on his coming away should leave Manager Pervo to attend to such Proposals as might offer either from the Government relative to a Firmaund or from the Merchants for any Contracts for Pepper with Instructions to endeavour at the Recovery of the Debts either in Money or Pepper, and it was not impossible but that Needer ally Cawn in time might be as useful friend to the Honble Company, That he should have been glad to have dispatched the Royal Admiral before he not the Present Situation of affairs there rendered it absolutely necessary to detain her five or six days longer —

Came in the Antelope Gallivate with a Letter from the Chief & Council at Surat dated the 5 Instant being purposely to advise they learnt by a few Traders from Bengal that the three French Ships which were Cruizing off Ceylone in September were in Ballasore Road with their Men & Ammunition having taken two of the Honble Companies Ships and two Country Vessels, and it was feared our other would fall into their Hands, and Mr Vansittart one of the Princes, who not many days before he Concerning met the Nyan of our Honble Masters Ship was put on board

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the Honble Company which he was able to do who assured him he would do as desired, & hoped the English would remain there as usual & he on friendly Terms with his master to which he imagined we would readily agree and advised him so accordingly tho he thought it by no means for the Interest of the Honble Company to keep a Resident there at Present, without the grant of Certain Priviledges confirmed by a proper Firmaun, which would not we supposed to be then done as the new Government is probable would not make any Concessions or grant any exclusive Priviledge of Trade, till they were thoroughly acquainted with the Nature of the Country, the soliciting & settling which points must take Work of time and as we did not know the Present Season would Afford any advantageous opportunity of Purchasing Pepper for which reasons we intended proceeding hither in four or five days with his assistant Mr Dubald to lay before us, his sentiments on these matters as he was of opinion nothing could be done to the advantage of the Honble Company at least for this Season tho whilst he remained there should endeavour to prevail on the Commanding officer to assist him in the recovery of the outstanding Debts from such Merchants as were able to pay and on his return away should leave Mancoje Parsee to attend to such proposals as might offer either from the Government of Delaware a Firmaun or from the Merchants for any Contracts for Pepper with Instructions to endeavour at the recovery of the Debts either in Money or Pepper, and it was not impossible but that Hyder ally Cawn in time might be a usefull friend to the Honble Company, That he should have been glad to have dispatched the Royal Admiral before he not the Present State of affairs thus rendered it absolutely necessary to secure him five or six days longer — —

Came in the Antelope Gallwater with a Letter from the Chief & Council dated the 8th March by Proxy to acquaint they learnt by private Letters from Bengal that the Three French Ships which were Cruizing off Colombo Sept. when in Ballasson were since joined by Monsieur Pavilly having taken two of the Honble Company's Ships and two Country Vessels, and that it was feared the others would fall into their Hands, and from one of the Prizes, who got away on Enquiry confirmed the Report of our Honble Masters Ships was put into Colombo

the Honble Company which he was able to do who assured him he would do as desired, & hoped the English would remain there as usual & be on Friendly Terms with his master to which he imagined we would readily agree and advised him so accordingly tho he thought it by no means for the Interest of the Honble Company to keep a Residency there at Present, without the grant of Certain Priviledges confirmed by a proper Phirmaund, which would not be supposed to be then done as the new Government its probable would not make any Concessions or grant any exclusive Priviledges of Trade, till they were thoroughly acquainted with the Nature of the Country, the Soliciting & settling which points must be a Work of time and as he did not believe the Present Season would offer any advantageous opportunity of Purchasing Pepper for which reasons he intended proceeding hither in four or five days with his assistant Mr Sibbald to lay before us, his sentiments on these matters as he was of opinion nothing could be done to the advantage of the Honble Company at least for this Season tho whilst he remained there should endeavour to prevail on the Commanding officer to assist him in the Recovery of the outstanding Debts from such Merchants as were able to pay and on his coming away should leave Manecjee Pervee to attend to such proposals as might offer either from the Government relative to a Phirmaund or from the Merchants for any Contracts for Pepper - with Instructions to endeavour at the Recovery of the Debts either in Money or Pepper, and it was not impossible but that Heedor Ally Cauen in time might be as useful friend to the Honble Company, That he should have been glad to have dispatched the Royal Admiral before, but not the Present Situation of affairs there rendered it absolutely necessary to detain her five or six days longer —

— Came in the Antelope Galliwate with a Letter from the Chief & Council at Surat dated the 8 Instant bearing purposely to advise they learnt by a private Letter from Bengal that the Three French Ships which were Cruizing off Ceylone in September were in Ballasore road in the month of January having taken two of the Honble Company's Moors and two Country Vessels, and that it was feared six others would fall into their Hands, and a mate of one of the Brigs, who got away from the Enemy confirmed the Report of our Honble Masters ships wal pole outward bound

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the Honble Company which he was able to do who assured him he would do as desired, & hoped the English would remain there a usual Well on Friendly Terms with his master to which he magnified we wrote readily agree and advised him so accordingly tho he thought it by no means for the Interest of the Honble Company to keep a Resider either at Porto Nova, without the grant of certain Privileges confirmed by a proper Firman, which would not be supposed to be then done as the new Government is probably would not necessary Concessions or grant any exclusive Privilege of Trade, till they were thoroughly acquainted with the Nature of the Country, the Soil, Revenue & settling which promises to be a Work of time and as we did not know the Present Season would offer any advantageous Opportunity of Purchasing Pepper for which reasons we intended proceeding hither in four or five days we then apprehend Mr Dublaid to lay before us, his sentiments on these matters as was of opinion nothing could be done to the advantage of the Honble Company for at least this Season tho' whilst he remained there would endeavour to prevail on the Commanding officer to assist him in the Recovery of the outstanding Debts from such Merchants as were able to pay and on his passing away should leave Mancoger Pursue to assent to such proposals as might offer either from the Government Relative to Tharrare, or from the Merchants for any Contracts for Pepper with Instructions to endeavour at the Recovery of the Debts either in Money or Pepper, and it was not impossible but that Hyder ally Cawn in time might be a useful friend to the Honble Company That he should have been glad to have dispatched the Royal Admiral before but not the Present Situation of affairs there rendered it absolutely necessary to detain her five or six days longer —

Came in the Antelope Gallivate with a Letter from the Chief & Council at Tellicherry dated the 5 Instant bring propositions to order Mr Leard by a Private Letter from Bengal that the three French Ships which were Cruizing off Ceylone September we in Pallaver Bay were now departed having the two of the Honble Company Ships with them formerly Detained, and it was feared they others would fall into their Hands, endeavoring to take the Benefit of the Breezes, not to be away from the Enemy, as we the Report of our Honble Masters Ships and Pot of our Home

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Ships which were upon the Coast the beginning of the Season [illegible] down to Ballasore Road & we know not what they future Destination may be & as we judge Capt. [illegible] commanding of Ceylon [illegible] under his Command will not [illegible] the Honble Company [illegible] bound home but will therefore [illegible] suitable & very necessary [illegible] their Property and the Trade bound from Bengall to the Coast [illegible] so essential to our Public Good. Resolved that we [illegible] a Letter to the effect to Captain Tinker.

The Merchants being [illegible] to Surat the Success [illegible] four Gallivats [illegible] Accordingly.

The Superintendant then [illegible]

Read the Letter above extracted from [illegible] Commodore & Council at Cochin [illegible] the Council at Batavia the Consideration of all [illegible] is deferred.

The Royal Charlotte [illegible] Bengal with Salt Petre on board belonging to the Honble Company [illegible] Anchoring whether we have received no Letter or Order from the Council there the Secretary is ordered to represent to the Commodore whether any Packet was delivered to him for us [illegible] of it.

Royal Charlotte Snow Capt Bell has not a Packet from Bengal

The [illegible] received lately [illegible] from the Flag of Trucensore [illegible] to [illegible] let them Pass the districts of Calicut [illegible] notice will be taken hereafter.

[illegible] on Rumbold from [illegible] Captain Ground

Read a Letter [illegible] Extracted, also [illegible] hereafter [illegible] to the President from the Tenor of which it [illegible] very desirous of being upon Friendly [illegible] [illegible] of the [illegible] consequence of our Honble Master [illegible] improve a Friendly Correspondence with him It is Resolved [illegible] for the [illegible] [illegible] any [illegible]

Letter to [illegible]

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Ships which were upon this Coast the beginning of the Monsoon go
down to Ballasore Road & we know not what they future [illegible]
may be & as we judge Capt. [illegible] [illegible]
under his Command will not only [illegible]
[illegible] home but will [illegible] [illegible]
the Property in the Trade lost from Bengall to [illegible]
[illegible] Goods, Resolved that we [illegible]
a Letter to the [illegible] Capt. [illegible]

The [illegible]

To [illegible] the [illegible] Letter & Journal [illegible]
accordingly —

The Superintendant then [illegible]

Read the Letters above [illegible]

Consultation & Council at Bombay [illegible] [illegible]
at [illegible] the Consideration of all [illegible]

The Bengal Packet [illegible]
Bengal with Salt Petre on board [illegible]
notwithstanding whether [illegible] no Letter or Dispatch from the Prince
in Council there the Secretary [illegible] [illegible]
whether any Packet was delivered to him for [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] have more [illegible]
[illegible] & let him Proceed to Indostan of Bancoddu [illegible]
[illegible] will be taken [illegible]

Read a Letter from [illegible]
Exp[illegible] also [illegible]
[illegible] from the [illegible]
very dear [illegible] upon Tuesday [illegible]
[illegible] of the [illegible]
[illegible] your [illegible]
[illegible] Friendly Correspondence [illegible] Shes [illegible]
[illegible]

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Ships which were upon the Coast the beginning of the Season or gone down to Ballasore, said & we know not at what future Date, and may be & as we judge Capt. Nicholson coming off Coylee with the Ships under his Command will not only secure the Worst of Ships in Bound home but will likewise afford a suitable & very necessary Guard to their Property and the Trade coming from Bengall to this Coast it is so essential to us which Gent. Resolved that we in our Stead write a Letter to the Agent & Capt. in Indies

The Letter being read & approved of the Secretary's Letter & Four Gentlemen were appointed to draft the Letter accordingly —

Then Council adjourned

Read the Letter above mentioned for the Commission & Council at Cochin & the Agent & Council at Batavia the Consideration of all which is referred —

The Royal Charlotte Company's Ship arrived in Bengal with Salt Petre on board belonging to the Honble Company notwithstanding which we have received no Letter or Advice from Fort St George and Council there the Secretary is ordered to require of the Commander whether any Packet was delivered to him from Fort St George etc.

Fort St George Letter to be sent to Europe

The Secretary is also to write to Fort St George from the Flag of Truce now here & desire the Governor to acquaint the Dutch of Cochin & Cananor that unless a Vessel is taken to Europe —

Read Letter from Fort St George to the Dutch Governors at Cochin & Cananor, also another from the Governor & Council of Fort St George to the Dutch Governor at Batavia with Copies of the Letter which Commander Coxe received from Your Honours & Council at Batavia & Your Honours Friendly Correspondence with them. It is resolved further that the Letters be made for these purposes accordingly & the Secretary is to write Fort St George & the Dutch Governors at Cochin & Cananor

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ships which we [illegible] upon that said the beginning of the dam [illegible]
down to Ballasore road & we know not what time future [illegible]
may be & as we judge [illegible] Gentlemen [illegible] in [illegible]
under his Command will not only secure the Honble [illegible]
homeward bound but will also be useful & suitable & very necessary
to our Property in the trade carried on from Bengall to these [illegible]
so offensive to our Honble Court Resolved that we [illegible]
a Letter to the Honble the Capn [illegible]

The [illegible]

Such [illegible]

To [illegible] that the necessities which [illegible] are [illegible]
accordingly —

The Superintendant then [illegible]

Read the Letter above [illegible]

[illegible]

Commissione & Council at Cochin [illegible]
at Batavia the Consideration of [illegible]

The Royal Sholett [illegible] arrived [illegible]

Sailed the latter
[illegible] Packet
[illegible]

Bengal with Salt Petre on board [illegible] to the Honble Company [illegible]
notwithstanding which we have [illegible] no Letter or [illegible]
are Council then the Secretary [illegible] to [illegible]
whether any Packet was delivered him [illegible]
[illegible]

The [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] the Raja of Travencore [illegible]
to [illegible] to get from Poyer the destitute of Salt [illegible]
[illegible] —

Read a Letter [illegible]

[illegible]

Extract [illegible]
to the President from the Secretary [illegible]
very desirous of being upon [illegible]
[illegible] of the [illegible]
[illegible] consequence of our [illegible]
[illegible] a Friendly Correspondence [illegible] Has resolved
[illegible]

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been attacked and with whom we might form such Connections as wou[illegible] prove very prejudicial to our Honble Masters hereafter and as the compl[illegible] in consequence with his request for small arms will be the most likely means of inducing him to grant us such Terms as we may require of him We agree to supply him with five hundred (500) Musquets & Bayonets which tho' a measure the Honble Company are always averse to, have ever avoided as much as possible, yet in the Present case we really think it unavoidable for as we expect considerable advantages to result from Heeder Ally's Friendship, he will naturally expect some return, & the only request he has made is being for fire arms, the giving him an absolute Denial would very much disgust him as it subject the Honble Company's affairs to all the opposition in his power whereas by a Contrary Conduct we have every thing to expect from his favour and were we not to gratify him in his request there is not the least room to doubt, but he would receive supplies from the Portuguese Dutch and other European Powers who in his present Situation, would be glad to cultivate his Friendship to our Prejudice —

Resolved therefore that the royal assent be obtained as soon as possible with Mr Stracey and Sibbald to on the former of whom must we further that instructions drawn up in consequence of these our Resolutions and shewing how a Latitude is of reposing to [illegible] Heeder Ally's Country may be to whom the President will likewise write & send a suitable present on the occasion, Proper orders must likewise be sent to the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry respecting him —

Read the Letters above extracted from the President & Council at Fort Marlbro and Mr Richard Wyatt at Natt also one to the Secretary from Mr Secretary Herbert. —

Ordered that the Prince Henry, required with all possible Expedition, and that suitable Directions be sent to the several Offices for Providing such part of the Indents from Fort Marlbro as [illegible] and Lascars as very Necessary of assisting that Presidency as far as possible Colonel Morse & Major Gordon must be acquainted with their desire to Cadet [illegible] if any Proper people are procurable in other Corps they may procure them [illegible] that purpose.

Ordered also that [illegible] from

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him in his request there is not the least room to doubt, but he would
receive Supplies from the Portugues, Danes, Dutch and other European
Powers who in his present Situation, would be glad to cultivate his
Friendship to our Prejudice —

Resolved therefore that the Royal
admiral be returned as soon as possible with Mrs Stracey and Sibbald to on
the former of whom must have Suitable Instructions drawn up in consequ
of these our Resolutions and likewise have a Latitude of repairing to —
Bednure or any where else adjacent where Hedervally cauns may be, to
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be spared, & as we are very desirous of assisting that Presidency as far as proper
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that purpose —

Ordered also that the Escort from

Write to carry
into Sibbald
Lin —

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been attributed with whom he sought from such Conduct as we have very prejudicial to our Hon'ble Masters hereafter and as the may [illegible] with his request for [illegible] will [illegible] that, notwithstanding he [illegible] us such Terms as we may [illegible] upon this Agreed to supply us with five hundred at 1500 Musquets & Bayonets which these measures the Honble Company are always averse to have will avoided as much as possible yet in the Present case we really think it unavoidable for as we expect considerable advantages to result from Federally our Friendship, he will naturally expect an Return, & the only Request he has it made no Long for we done, it a very Dangerous Precedent to be very much disgusted, we adjust the Honble Company's Affairs to all the opposition in his power whereas by a Contrary Conduct we have every thing to expect from his favour and were we not to grant him in his request there is not the least room to doubt, but he would receive Supplies from the Portuguese Dutch and other Europe Powers who in his present Situation, would be glad to cultivate his Friendship to our Prejudice –

Resolved therefore that the Royal Admiral be acquainted with Mr Stracey and Sibbald to on the former for [illegible] Intelligence [illegible] Attitude of [illegible] where Federally can [illegible] the President will [illegible] suitable presents the Cargo, Proper [illegible] be sent to the Chief and Factors at Telliccherry [illegible] –

Read the Letters above extracted from the President & Council at Fort Marlbro and Mr Richard Wyatt at Anjengo to the Secretary from Mr Secretary Herbert –

Ordered that the Prince Henry [illegible] with all possible Expedition, and that [illegible] be sent to the General Offices for Transmitting such part of the Indent from Fort Marlbro [illegible] and [illegible] in the very Terms of Assisting that Presidency as far as [illegible] Coromandel Coast [illegible] must be regarded with the [illegible] and [illegible] proper [illegible] provide in [illegible] they may [illegible] thereby [illegible]

Ordered that the [illegible]

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been attended with which he might form such conclusions as we
judge very prejudicial to [illegible] He He Masters hereafter and will compl
[illegible] he will have [illegible] forbearance with the [illegible]
merchants endeavoring to [illegible] such Trade as they may require of
him He agreed to supply them with five hundred at 100/ Rupees
Beyond which tho a measure the Honble Company are always anxious
to have encouraged as much as possible yet in the Present case we really
think it unnecessary for as we expect considerable advantages to result to
Hoder Mycanna Friendship, he will notice the question let in, The
only request he has made is upon the ground of his and his
Ancestors very much disgusted [illegible] to adjust the Hon'ble Company's
affairs to all the opposition in his power where [illegible] contrary Conduct
have [illegible] to expect from his Person and were we not [illegible]
him in his request that is not the least room to doubt, but he will
receive Supplies from the Portuguese Dutch and other European
Powers who in his present situation would be glad to cultivate his
Friendship to our Prejudice —

Resolved therefore that the Royal
Ads not be sent [illegible] as soon as possible with Mr Stracey and Hibbard to on
the [illegible] [illegible] Latitude of [illegible]
[illegible] where Hoder Ally [illegible] to
[illegible] the President will [illegible] Remembrance [illegible]
[illegible] Chief and Factors at
Will be [illegible] him

Read the Letters above extracted from
the President & Council at Fort Marlborough and Mr Richard Wyatt at Natal
also one to the Secretary from Mr Secretary Herbert —

Ordered that the Trade Henry
[illegible] Capt [illegible] that Suitable Directions be sent to
[illegible] for [illegible] such part of the Cargo from Fort Marlborough
[illegible] Bremen [illegible] that Presidency [illegible]
Cloth Moors & Stage [illegible] must be dispatched with the [illegible] Order to
[illegible] from the [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]

Ordered that the [illegible]

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been attended with [illegible] we might form such a [illegible] as to prove very beneficial to our [illegible] Masters hereafter and [illegible] we [illegible] [illegible] information [illegible] will be [illegible] measures of [illegible] by [illegible] such Terms as we may receive from Mrs Uphill to supply [illegible] with five hundred at 400 p. Maund & Parcent which the measures of the Honble Company are about to adopt we have received as much as possible upon the Present occasion really think it unavoidable for as we expect considerable advantages to result from Hyder Ali's new Friendship, he will note [illegible] expected [illegible], & the only request he has made was [illegible] giving him a Dowrat [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the Honble for your [illegible] affairs to all the opposition in his power where [illegible] contrary Conduct we have every thing to expect from his favour and were we not to gratify him in his request there is not the least room to doubt, but he would receive supplies from the Portuguese Dutch and other European Powers in his present situation would be glad to cultivate his Friendship to our Prejudice —

Resolved therefore that the Royal Colours be [illegible] as soon as possible with Mrs Stracey and Hibbard to on the former [illegible] [illegible] Not [illegible] drawing in consequence of [illegible] [illegible] Latitude [illegible] to [illegible] [illegible] where Heedwally [illegible] to [illegible] the Present out [illegible] & send a suitable present on the occasion, & proper orders [illegible] be sent to the Chief and Factors at Telliccherry respecting him

Read the Letters above extracted from the Pres Dent & Council at Fort Marlbro and Mr Richard Wyatt at Vizagapatam to the Secretary & Mr Secretary Herbert —

Ordered that the Prince Henry [illegible] with all Hospital Expedition, and that first the Directors be [illegible] the [illegible] Prince [illegible] part of the Intend from Fort Marlbro and [illegible] & [illegible] [illegible] that Presidency as far as [illegible] Colonel Monro & Major [illegible] must be regularded with the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] they may [illegible] [illegible]

Ordered also that the [illegible]

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[illegible] will observe [illegible]

from the Chief of [illegible]

A True Translate

[illegible]

Translate of a Letter from Tender ally cum Bahadur Hyder Tullah who said he received it [illegible]

After Compliments

Be it known to Hamzah Sort Cadjee Nyson that the pleasure of receiving the goodness God has blessed you with and that induces [illegible] the honour of sending a Letter to you by [illegible] have the good [illegible] the very pleasing upon the occasion [illegible] Hamzah and [illegible] to be [illegible] on all that [illegible] to do [illegible] your Honour –

I am return your thanks in these [illegible] I have by God's favour got the Fort & Country of Sedhure [illegible] Appa [illegible] and [illegible] there [illegible] Forts & Fortresses of Deferoch [illegible] I congratulate you [illegible]

I shall always very glad of your Friendship

Translate of a Letter from Tender ally cum Bahadur Hyder Tullah which I received 21 March 1763 –

After Compliment

Your [illegible] received [illegible] which pleased me very much [illegible] let him have the [illegible] of the money [illegible] he shall have it agreeable [illegible] Brinjal [illegible] may [illegible] what Quantity you [illegible] –

I shall always be glad of your [illegible] & [illegible] 4200 [illegible] for Soldiers I [illegible] you will please to [illegible] be the Grand General [illegible] I shall [illegible] Pepper [illegible] Sandal [illegible] Engl[illegible] man

You will please to send all [illegible] Cloth [illegible] your Factory I have given [illegible]

Bombay Castle

[illegible] with concern [illegible]

from the Chief of the [illegible]

Afran Tranta

Francisco Fernandes

Translate of a Letter from Hyder Ally Cawn Bahadur Under Talla without date, received 18th March 1763

After Compliments

I [illegible] Mahomed Hussain [illegible] Sonte Budjee Rupson I had the pleasure of hearing the goodness God has blessed you with and that induces me to have the honour of writing a Friendship very far between us and have therefore on the very [illegible] upon the occasion [illegible] Kenjah and desire him to let you know all that I have to do with you Honour –

I now acquaint you that in these [illegible] days I have by God's favour got all the Fort "Bangalore" of Bednure in my Key [illegible] and I [illegible] even those [illegible] Forts Fortures of Defence order [illegible] and [illegible] you. [illegible] my friends I congratulate you with [illegible] you are [illegible]

I shall [illegible] very glad of your Friendship [illegible]

Translate of a letter from Hyder Ally Cawn Bahadur [illegible] Hyder Sahib [illegible] received 21 March 1763 –

After Compliments

Your [illegible] letter to me [illegible] of [illegible] your [illegible] were pleased me very much [illegible] also made a request to me that I should let him have the [illegible] of this country to which [illegible] he shall have it agreeable [illegible] Brinjal [illegible] so many [illegible] what Quantity you [illegible] –

I shall always be glad of your letter [illegible] Cowries and [illegible] 1000 [illegible] for soldiers [illegible] you will please to send [illegible] the same [illegible] which I shall [illegible] pray [illegible] Pepper as you will [illegible] Long Cloth, [illegible] Oliman –

If you will please to send all sorts of [illegible] Fazey I have [illegible]

Bombay Castle

[illegible] with Colonel [illegible]

from the Chief of Tellicherry —

A True Translate

Francis Fernandez

Translate of a Letter from Tuckeraly Cawn Sahib Hyder Sahib to Mahomed Hamzah dated the 19th March 1763

After Compliments

By Mahomed Hamzah Sonte Coapy Bipson I had the pleasure of hearing the goodness God has blessed you with and that induces me to do me the Honour of seeing a Friendship very fast between us. We and have therefore wrote very freely upon the Occasion we speak. Mahomed Hamzah and shall [illegible] to you know all that passes to be [illegible] of your Honour —

I now acquain you that in these [illegible] days I have by God's Favour got all the Forts & Country of Bednure in my Possession and I expect every thing in Power Forts of Defence & Order [illegible] good [illegible] I congratulate you and therefore [illegible] —

I shall always very glad of your Friendly Letters —

Translate of a Letter from Tuckeraly Cawn Sahib Bahadoor Sahib Hyder Sahib to Mahomed Received 21 March 1763 —

After Compliments

Your [illegible] to me at Bednure [illegible] your Letter which pleased me very much He did also make a request to me that I should let him have the Rice of this country to which I offered have he shall have it agreeable to [illegible] Bre he [illegible] you may carry what Quantity you chuse —

I shall always be glad of your Letters & Commands [illegible] 4200 [illegible] for Soldiers & [illegible] will please to send the [illegible] be the Guard of the [illegible] for which I shall [illegible] pay [illegible] Rupees you will chuse [illegible] Rupees [illegible] Cowdy [illegible] Ollman —

You will please to send all [illegible] Coapy [illegible] good [illegible] your Factory I have [illegible]

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[illegible] in the [illegible] will deserve [illegible]

on the Chief of [illegible] place —

True Translate

Francisco Fernandes

Translate of a Letter from Hyder Ally Cawn Bahadur Hyder Ali

[illegible]

written at Nuggur the 21st March 1763

After Compliments

By Mohamed Hamzah Son to Budge Rufson, I had the pleasure of hearing the goodness God has blessed you with that induces me to have the honour of writing a Friendship very far from my mouth and have the pen in one very [illegible] Hyder [illegible] Occasion was he said, Mohamed Hamzah and desired him to let you know all that I was [illegible] of your Honour —

I now acquaint you that in [illegible] days I have by God's power [illegible] the Fort & Country of Bednure in my Hands and there [illegible] everything in Proper Posture of Defence order otherwise [illegible] I congratulate you [illegible] —

I shall be at [illegible] very glad of your Friendship —

Translate of a Letter to Hyder Ally Cawn Bahadur from Nuggur dated [illegible] received 21 March 1763.

After Compliments

Your [illegible] Customers to me are [illegible] your [illegible] such pleased me very much the [illegible] also in the [illegible] I should let him have the [illegible] of the [illegible] to which I figured he shall have it agreeable to [illegible] Brinjal [illegible] what Quantity you chose —

I shall always be glad of your Letters & Commands [illegible] about [illegible] 4000 [illegible] for Soldiers I desire you will please to [illegible] the [illegible] by the [illegible] Hence [illegible] I shall either [illegible] you will [illegible] Hyder [illegible] Cawn Bahadur Ottman —

You will please to [illegible] all [illegible] Cawn [illegible] God [illegible] your Tados I have given [illegible]

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and place to have some rooms for your People & I shall be glad the you give orders to build Houses here &c. Compliments &c.

Grant of Rushia — Translate of a Letter from

Translate of a Letter from the Governour of Rushia dated 11 Mar. & Received 21 March 1816.

After compliments

I received your acceptable Letter by your Grab in good time, and was much pleased at the Contents of it. You say that I should let Mr Douglas know the terms on which I will trade your Factory here and that then that Gentleman would write you, but ever since I received your Letter to this day nobody came to me from Mr Douglas and which has prevented my conferring about it. If that Gentleman can be some body and let me know what Terms would be agreeable to you I will consider and agree to every thing that is proper. I do not value much the advantage to myself. I wish you make your Factory here firm, see how advantageous it will prove to you, my Government will demand nothing from you for Customs or any thing else, in nothing I forgive you & you may rest assured that in every thing we shall be as Friends to each other, & our Friendship will always be fast & fast.

In these days my People have endeavoured to get some goods which I hear are of use at Bombay & my man is carrying it on board the ship. I hope you will please to order your people to assist him in disposing of it and in Purchasing a return to be brought here and if that Goods are of use to you and you will please to let me know what Quantity of it will sell at Bombay I will endeavour to purchase it and send it you.

You will please do to believe me

this past and my self am yours & by your commands on me.

Index for Bombay — Signed a Letter to Mr Malet Index &c. strictly conformable to our Resolution this morning.

Wednesday 23 Signed a Letter to be forwarded & Secrecy Hist to the Chief & Council. Lord acquainted them we despatched that Vessel & four Gallivats with the Trade to the Bar when they used to return after having taken no much Cotton and Goods. Have Instructed as the forementioned Lake & and directed them to embrace that opportunity of sending us the rest of Your Goods for Port Cutera, also some of the best Lahore Indig.

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and place to build the Houses for your People & I shall be glad the
you give orders to build Houses here &c. Compliments &c.

Book of Business — Translate of a Letter — Translate of a Letter from the Governour of Bushire dated 11 June 1764
& Received 21 March 1765 —

After Compliments

I received your acceptable Letter by your
Grab, in good time, and was much pleased at the Contents of it. You say that I
should let Mr. Douglas know the Terms on which I will have your Factory
here and that then that Gentleman would write you, but ever since I
received your Letter to this day nobody came to me from Mr. Douglas and
which has prevented my corresponding about it. If that Gentleman will send
some body and let me know what Terms would be agreeable to you I
will consider and agree to every thing that is proper. I do not value
much the advantage to myself which you make your Factory here for,
see how advantageous it will be to you, my Government will demand
nothing from you for Customs or any thing else, any thing I forgive
you & you may rest assured that in every thing we shall forget
Friends to each other, & our Friendship will always be fast & fast.

In these days my People have endea-
voured to get some goods which I hear are of use at Bombay & my ma-
is carrying it on board the ship. I hope you will please to order your people
to assist him in disposing of it and in Purchasing a Return to be brought
hither and that goods are of use to you and you will please to let me
know what Quantity of it will sell at Bombay I will endeavour to
purchase it and send it you.

you will please Sir to believe me
the past and Compliments yours &c. &c. &c. &c.

Index Jn° Solaman — Letter for — Signed a Letter to Mr. Blake Timber Merch. jointly on formable to our
Resolution this morning —

Wednesday 23 — Minute of Letter to — Signed a Letter to be forwarded to Lieut. Hirb to the Chief & Council
Dated acquainting them we dispatched that Vessel & four Gallivats with
the Grain to the Bar where they were to return after having taken as
much Bottom and Goods as the Investment & the Commanders could take in
and directed them to embrace that opportunity of sending with them
the Piece Goods for Sale — also some of the best Lahore Indigo

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and place to build the Houses for your People & I shall be glad the you give order to build Houses here &c. Compliments &c.

Translate of a Letter from the Governour of Bushire dated 11 June 75 Received 21 March 1776

Sir Compliments

I received your acceptable Letter by your Grab, in good time, and was very pleased at the Contents of it. You say that I should let Mr Douglas know the Terms on which I will have your Factory here and that then that Gentleman would write you, but ever since I received your Letter, to this day nobody came to me from Mr Douglas and which has prevented my conferring about it. If that Gentleman sent somebody and let me know what Terms would be agreeable to you I will consider and agree to every thing that is proper. I do not value much the advantage to myself. I wish you make your Factory here first, see how advantageous it will prove to you, my Government will demand nothing from you for Customs or any thing else, in any thing I forgive you & you may rest assured that in every thing we shall be as Friends to each other. Our Friendship will always be fast & fast.

In these days my People have endeavoured to get some goods which I hear are of use at Bombay & my man is carrying it on board the Ship. I hope you will please to order your people to assist him in disposing of it and in Purchasing a return to be brought hither and that Goods are of use to you and you will please to let me know what Quantity of it will sell at Bombay & I will endeavour to purchase it and send it you.

Sir you will please to believe me

the real and Compassion Your Stay and commands on me.

Index Proceedings — Signed a Letter to Alex. Black Esqr in Reply conformable to our Resolution this morning.

Wednesday 23 — Signed a Letter to be forwarded by Lucy Hoy to the Chief & Council of Surat acquainting them we dispatched that Grab & four Gallivats with the Trade to the Bay, whom they were to return after having taken the Surat Letter and Goods of the Investment as the former could take it and directed them to embrace that opportunity of sending us some of Your Goods for Tartar Cloth, also some of the best Lahore Indig.

and place to build the Houses for your People & I shall be glad the
you are order to build Houses here &c Compliments &c

Prudent Bushan — Translate of a Letter from the Governour of Pattan dated 11 June 1715
Translate of a Letter from

Received 21 March 1715

After Compliments

I received your acceptable Letter by your
Grab in good time, and was much pleased at the Contents of it. You say that I
should let Mr Douglas know the Terms on which I will have your Factory
here and that then that Gentleman would write you, but ever since I
received your Letter to this day nobody came to me from Mr Douglas and
which has prevented my concerning about it. If that Gentleman sends
somebody and tell me know what Terms would be agreeable to you I
will consider and agree to every thing that is proper. I do not value
much the advantage to myself I wish you make your Factory here first,
see how advantageous it will be to you, my Government will demand
nothing from you for Custom, or any thing else, any thing I forgive
you & you may rest assured that in every thing we shall be as
Friends to each other, our Friendship will always be fast & fast.

In these days my People have endea-
voured to get some goods which I hear are of use at Bombay & my ma-
is carrying it on board the Ships. I hope you will please to order your people
to assist him in disposing of it and in Purchasing a Return to be brought
hither and if that Goods are of use to you and you will please to let me
know what Quantity of it will sell at Bombay I will endeavour to
purchase it and send it you.

You will please to believe me
His real and Confidential Friend & Lay you commands on me.

Index for Blank Letter — Signed a Letter to Mr de Sinhoeg exactly conformable to our
Resolution this morning.

Wednesday 23 Signed a Letter to be forwarded by Sacy Hub to the Chief & Council.
Sent of Letter — and acquaintance then we despatched that Ugel & four Gallivats with
the Trade to the Bay, whom they were to return after having taken as
much better Trade goods & more Investment as the former could take
and directed from Tonsbate that opportunity of sending with them
of Fine Goods for Sent & also some of the best Lahore Indig.

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Fried he discharged with great care and Fedility so hope you will
sent the same to the Honble the President & Council that he may hav
some Reward

Revenge Bombay Harbour
24 March 1763

I am with respect
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
John Watson

Capt Campbell offers from adjoining Quantity of Salt
to be sold in at
agent

Honble Sir & Sirs

I beg leave to inform you that I
on board the Ship Royal Charlotte at Bengall one thousand Bags of
Cotte each containing two Factory Maund of 150 Pounds on Account
Honble Company.

Bombay
29th March 1763

I am with great respect
Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most obedt & most humble Servant
Collin Campbell

Officers Signed — **Signed** Letter to the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry, Anyengo and
conformable to our Resolutions in the Preceding Consultation.

Wednesday 30 **Sailed** his majesty's Ship Baleine Philip Affleck Esqr Commander for
Tellicherry and Madras, by which Transmitted Duplicate of our Letters of
the 24th Instant to that Presidency and Rear Admiral Cornish.

His majesty's Ship Weymouth Richard Collins Esqr Com
mander from Manilha and the Mallabar Coast.

— **Read** by her two Letters from Rear Admiral Cornish, one from the
Deputy Governour & Council at Manilha, one from the Resident Supercargo
at Canton one from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry and two from the
Chief and Factors at Anyengo.

Admiral Cornish Letter from — **The first** from Rear Admiral Cornish dated the 20 December and
congratulated us on the Surrender of Manilha and its dependencies wh
was taken on the 6 October, That three Boats manned and armed had
taken a Spanish Galley by whom he learnt the St Philippina from Acapulco
to Manilha had put into one of the adjacent Islands in consequence of
which he had dispatched the Panther and Argo in quest of her and wh
had taken after a smart Government a Ship which proved to be the
Santissima Trinidad bound from Manilha to Acapulco but mean

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Trust he discharged with great care and Fidelity so hope you will send the same to the Honble the Court of Directors Consider that he may come Rewarded —

Revenge Bombay Harbour
24 March 1763

I am with respect
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
John Watson

Capt. Campbell to be forwarded to Sir John Watson at Madras

Honble Sir & Sirs

I beg leave to inform you that on board the Ship Royal Charlotte at Bengall are the undermentioned Chests each containing two Factory Round of 150 Pounds on Account of Honble Company.

Bombay
29th March 1763

I am with great respect
Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most obedt & most humble Servt
Collin Campbell

Letters signed — **Signed** Letters to the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry, Anjengo and Tuticorin conformable to our Resolutions in the Preceeding Consultation.

Wednesday 30 — **Sailed** his majesty's Ship Balcone Philip Affleck Esq. Commander for Tellicherry and Madras, by which Transmitted Duplicate of our Letters of the 24th Instant to that Presidency and Rear Admiral Cornish.

Ship imported to Manilla — **Imported** his majesty's Ship Weymouth Hutchinson Collins Esq. Commander from Manilla and the Malabar Coast.

— **Read** by her two Letters from Rear Admiral Cornish, one from the Deputy Governor & Council at Manilla one from the Resident Supercargo at Canton, one from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry and two from the Chief and Factors at Anjengo

what was in all — **The first** from Rear Admiral Cornish bore date the 20 December and congratulated us on the Surrender of Manilla and its dependencies was taken on the 6 October, That three Boats manned and armed had taken a Spanish Galley by whom he learnt the Santa Rosalina from Acapulco to Manilla had put into one of the adjacent Islands in consequence of which he had dispatched the Panther and Argo in quest of her and to had taken after a smart Government a Ship which proved to be the Santa Rosalina Trinidad bound from Manilla to Acapulco [illegible]

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not be discharged with amount and Fidelity so hope you will
so the same to the Honble the President & Council for their
me Rewards

Average Bombay Harbour
24 March 1763

I am with respect
Sir
Your most obedient & humble
John Watson

Sa. Campbell — Honble Sir & Sirs

I beg leave to inform you that I
on board the Ship Royal Charlotte at Bengall one thousand Bags
Rice each containing two Factory Maund of 150 Pounds on Acc
Honble Company

Bombay
29th March 1763

I am with great respect
Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most obedt & most humble
Collin Campbell

Signed — Signed Letters to the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry Anjengo and Ma
conformable to our Resolutions in the Preceding Consultation.

Wednesday 30 — Sailed his majesty's Ship Baleine Philips Esq. Commander
Tellicherry and Madras, by which Transmitted Duplicate of our Letter
the 24th Instant to that Presidency and Rear Admiral Cornish

Imported — Imported his Majesty's Ship Hope with Richard Collins Esq. Co
mander from Manilha and the Malabar Coast.

Read — Read by her two Letters from Rear Admiral Cornish, one from the
Deputy Governor & Council at Manilha one from the Resident at
at Canton, one from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry and two from the
Chief and Factors at Anjengo

Extract — The first from Rear Admiral Cornish bears date the 20 December
congratulating us on the Surrender of Manilha and its dependencies
undertaken on the 6 October, That three Boats manned and armed had
taken a Spanish Galley by whom he learnt the Spanish Ship from Acapulco
to Manilha had put into one of the adjacent Islands in consequence
which he had despatched the Panther and Argo in quest of her and
had taken after a smart Engagement a Ship which proved to be the
Santissima Trinidad bound from Manilha to Acapulco

I shall be discharged with greater speed & safety so I hope you will
sent the same to the Honble the Court of Directors
some Years —

Revenge Bombay Harbour
24 March 1763

I am with respect
Sir
your most obedt & hble
John Watson

Honble Sir & Sirs

Sir Campbell's from Admiralty and Study of Sailors at Sea

I beg leave to inform you that I
on board the Ship Royal Charlotte at Bengall one Shower Chest fo
Bitts each containing two Factory Maps of 150 Pounds on the
Honble Company
Bombay
29th March 1763

I am with great respect
Honble Sir & Sirs
your most obedt & most humble
Collin Campbell

Letters signed — Signed Letters to the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry Anjengo an
conformable to our Resolutions in the Preceding Consultation

Wednesday 30 Sailed his majesty's Ships Balcum Philips Esq Commander
Tellicherry and Anjengo, by which transm the Duplicate of our Letters
the 24th Instant to that Presidency and Rear Admiral Cornish

Ship Imports and Exports — Imported his majesty's ship Hampshire Richard Collins Esq Co
under from Manilha and the Malabar Coast.

— Read by her two Letters from Rear Admiral Cornish, one from the
Deputy Governor & Council at Manilha one from Mr Thomas Petrie
at Canton one from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry and two from the
Chief and Factors at Anjengo

Admiral Cornish — The first from Rear Admiral Cornish dated the 20 December
congratulated us on the Surrender of Manilha and the dependencies
was taken on the 6 October, That three Boats manned and armed had
taken a Spanish Galley by whom he learnt the Frigate Asiana from Acapulco
to Manilha had put into one of the adjacent Islands in consequence of
which he had dispatched the Panther and Argo in quest of her and
had taken after a smart Government a Ship which proved to be the
Silver from a Trinidad bound from Manilha to Acapulco but

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Trust he discharged with great care and Fidelity so hope you will
send the same to the Honble the President & Council at Fort St
George Rewards —

Revenge Bombay Harbour
29 March 1763

I am with the respect
Sir
Your most obedt Servt
John Watson

Copy of Campbell's letter from addressing the state of Salt in the Look out

Honble Sir & Sirs

I beg leave to inform you that
on board the Ship Royal Charlotte at Bengall are thousand Bags
Cotton each containing two Factory Maund of 130 Pounds on Account
Honble Company.

Bombay
29th March 1763

I am with great respect
Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most obedt & most humble Servt
Collin Campbell

Letters signed — **Signed** Letters to the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry, Anjengo and Mahe conformable to our Resolutions in the Preceding Consultation.

Wednesday 30 March — Ships Lost Cruiser for Madras — **Sailed** his majesty's Ship Baker Philips affleck Esqr Commander for Tellicherry and Madras, by which Transmitted Duplicate of our Letters of the 24th Instant to that Presidency and Rear Admiral Cornish.

Ships Imports Manilla — **Imported** his majesty's Ship Weymouth Richard Collins Esqr Commander from Manilla and the Malabar Coast.

Read by her two Letters from Rear Admiral Cornish, one from the Deputy Governor & Council at Manilla one from the Resident Superiorty at Canton, one from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry and two from the Chief and Factors at Anjengo

Rear Admiral Cornish — **The first** from Rear Admiral Cornish bare date the 20 December and congratulated us on the Surrender of Manilla and its dependencies was taken on the 6th October, That three Boats manned and armed had taken a Spanish Galley by whom he learnt the S^d Philipina from Acapulco to Manilla had put into one of the adjacent Islands in consequence of which he had dispatched the Panther and Argo in quest of her and he had taken after a smart Government a Ship which proved to be the Manila from Trinidad bound from Manilla to Acapulco but on

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with a Hard Gale of wind had on Dis masted & put back to Bombay
had sent two Frigates in Sear ch of the Bulldog & Thus no
Smith and Elizabeth here to refit and hoped to
end of February with the Remainder of the Squadron
then sail to Bengal in India when he proposed to return
that the Nature of the Service should not
parting the Squadron for the Defence of Coast & Acquisitions there
Force was very essential to awe the Enemy and he upon
with the Bay of Cambay which was not in the Province
he earnestly recommended our sending a Force equal to
with a Bomb Vessel and an Extra Number of Seamen
Vessels there which might be employed towards the
mark that he had directed the Commanding Officer
now here to proceed to the Coast of Coromandel as soon
what he doubted not your Honours would referred
Remedy for the Particular Transactions of Necessity during
Expedition has endeavoured the Commanders in Chief
obliged —

Bombay letter

The Second from that Gentleman was dated
that the Priests of the Orders of St Augustine
in spite of the Pope to revolt and in
Nature of manifest from making their Submission
Principal Persons of that Order on board the
he requested might be sent to Europe or disposed of
might think Proper

Manilla letter from

That from the Deputy Governour & Council at Manilla was
date the 4th of December last, acquainting us of the conquest of that Place
in consequence of which it had been delivered up to the
of the Honble Company, They represented the faithless Conduct of some of
the Augustine Friars had obliged them to declare the whole order Rebel
they therefore embraced this opportunity of sending
whom we might dispose of as we thought Proper that Admiral Cornish
did not intend leaving any part of the Squadron there and as the
presence of a Marine Force was necessary they earnestly
tous to send some Armed Vessels which they desired

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with a Hard Gale of wind had been Dismasted & put back to Sea and he had sent two Frigates in Search of the Chittagong. That he was [illegible] Weymouth and Elizabeth here to refit, and hopes to have it as that [illegible] end of February with the Remainder of the Squadron [illegible] has since its being in India, when he proposed [illegible] that as the Nature of his Instructions would not [illegible] part of the Squadron for the Defence of those new Acquisitions the [illegible] Force was very essential to our the Company and keeping [illegible] with the Bay of Bengal, which are now in possession of the [illegible] he earnestly recommended our sending a Ship equal to the [illegible] with a Bomb Vessel and an Extra Number of Lascars [illegible] Vessels there which might be employed towards the Protection of those [illegible] mies to that he had directed the Commanding Officer of the [illegible] now here to proceed to the Coast of Coromandel as soon as [illegible] which he doubted not of our Assistance and referred us to Captains Bell [illegible] Ben Ble for the Particular Transactions of the Navy during [illegible] Expedition to whose indeavours the Company [illegible] obliged —

General Letter from — The Second from that Gentleman was dated the [illegible] that the Priest of the Orders of St Augustine having been [illegible] in Spirituals upon the People to Revolt, and in a great measure prevented the Natives of Manilha from making them Submission, he had secured the Principal Persons of that Order on board the Weymouth & Elizabeth which he requested might be sent to Europe or disposed of where in [illegible] as we might think Proper.

Manilha Letter from — That from the Deputy Governour and Council at Manilha was in date the 24th of December last, acquainting us of the conquest of that Place in consequence of which it had been delivered up to them as Representative of the Honble Company. They represented the faithless Conduct of some of the Augustine Friars had obliged them to declare the whole order Rebel they therefore embraced this opportunity of sending under [illegible] of them whom we might dispose of as we thought Proper. That Admiral Cornish did not intend leaving any part of the Squadron there and as the presence of a Marine Force was necessary, they earnestly recommended us to send some armed Vessels which they desired [illegible]

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with a Hard Gale of wind had been driven back to Goa and had sent two Frigates in Search of the Chellipena, that he sent the Medea and Elizabeth there to refit and hoped to be ready by the end of February with the remainder of his Squadron to sail for Bombay since he leaving India when he proposed to return to Goa and that as the Vessels he sent thither could not spare any part of the Squadron for the Defence of those Acquisitions there Since was very open to use the Enemy and proposed to Return with the Bay of Cavela which was now in Possession of the Enemy he earnestly recommended our sending a Ship equal to the Medea with a Bomb Vessel and an Extra Number of Lascars & Gallivats & other Vessels there which might be employed towards the Protection of those Territories to that he had directed the Commanding Officer of the Bombay Troops to proceed to the Coast of Coromandel as soon as possible which he do not doubt of our approbation and referred us to Captains Hall & Lewis for the Particular Transactions of Necessity during the Expedition to whose endeavours the Company are so much obliged —

Remarkable letter from

The Second from that Gentleman was dated the 26th [illegible] that the Brush of the orders of L'Augustine have not been sufficient to induce the People to revolt and to agree at necessary presents Native Commandants from making their Submission and had secured the Principal Persons of that Order on board the Cleopatra with the Elizabeth which he requested might be sent to Europe or disposed of in such a manner as we might think Proper

Another letter from

That from the Deputy Governour and Council at Manilha was dated the 14th of December last, acquainting us of the conquest of that Place in consequence of which it had been delivered up to them as Representative of the Honble Company, They represented the faithless Conduct of some of the Augustine Friars had obliged them to declare the whole order Rebels they therefore embraced this opportunity of sending such of them whom we might dispose of as we thought Proper that Admiral Cornish did not intend leaving any part of the Squadron there and as the presence of a Marine Force was necessary they earnestly recommended to send some armed Vessels which they desired

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with a Hard Gale of wind have been Dismasted & put back to [illegible] had sent two Frigates on Search of the Challenger, Shattle [illegible] month and Elizabeth here to refill, and hoped [illegible] end of February with the Remainder of the Squadron [illegible] than once to Bengal in India, which he proposed to [illegible] that as the Nature of his Instructions would not [illegible] part of the Squadron for the Defence of those [illegible] Trade was very essential to Our Interest and hope [illegible] with the Bay of Cavelar which was now in possession of the Enemy he earnestly recommended our sending a Ship equal to [illegible] with a Bomb Vessel and an Extra Number of Lascars or Officers [illegible] Vessels there which might be employed towards the Protection of our Settlements that he had directed the Commanding Officer of the Ships [illegible] now ready to proceed to the Coast of Coromandel as soon as [illegible] which he doubted not of our Approbation and referred us to Captain [illegible] Bemble for the Particular Transactions of the Navy during [illegible] Expedition to whose endeavours the Commanders in Chief [illegible] obliged —

Admiral Cornish's letter

The Second from that Gentleman was dated [illegible] that the Priests of the Orders of St Augustine having been [illegible] in Spirits up the People to Tumult, and in a great measure [illegible] Nature of Manilla from making them Submit, he had secured the Principal Persons of that Order on board the Yarmouth & Elizabeth to whom he requested might be sent to Europe or disposed of in such manner as we might think Proper

Manilla Letter from

That from the Deputy Governour and Council at Manilla was in date the 24th of December last, acquainting us of the conquest of that Place in consequence of which it had been delivered up to them as Representative of the Honble Company. They represented the faithless Conduct of some of the Augustine Friars had obliged them to declare the whole order Rebels they therefore embraced this opportunity of sending us eleven of them whom we might dispose of as we thought Proper. That Admiral Cornish did not intend leaving any part of the Squadron there and as the presence of a Marine Force was necessary, they earnestly recommended us to send some Armed Vessels which they desired [illegible]

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Carnarvon Castle Tuesday February [illegible]

One in favour of Mr Johnne [illegible] for [illegible] being for [illegible] Capt [illegible]

One in favour of Mr James [illegible] for [illegible] four shillings & three pence half penny being for one hundred twenty nine kilgrees three quarters Mr Thomas [illegible] Mr [illegible]

One in favour of Mr Robert Hardey for [illegible] being for one hundred & forty Capt [illegible] of Mr [illegible] for [illegible]

One in favour of Mr Henry [illegible] for [illegible] hundred & Sundry being for Twelve [illegible] Capt [illegible] of Mr Thomas Stonestreet Mr [illegible] Capt Ellen. Thos [illegible]

One in favour of Mr William [illegible] for Twenty [illegible] Pounds being for two hundred [illegible] Capt [illegible]

One in favour of the Right Honorable the Earl of [illegible] for One hundred pounds four shillings [illegible] half penny being for Thirteen hundred [illegible] Capt [illegible] quarters ninety four yards received of Mr [illegible] Thomas [illegible] to the Honorable Charles Carmichael Esq [illegible]

One in favour of John [illegible] for Fourhundred & Fifty pounds being for two hundred [illegible] of Mr Ellen [illegible]

One in favour of Mr Bazer for [illegible] for One hundred pounds being for Eight hundred Capt received of Mr Henry Rowe

One in favour of Capt William [illegible] for [illegible] hundred pounds being for Eleven hundred Capt received of Mr Ellen Kelley

One in favour of Samuel Finch Esq for One hundred & fifty pounds being for Twelve hundred Capt received of the Hon John Lambton, Henry Kelley & Thomas Stonestreet

One in favour of Capt David Hunter for Forty five hundred & eighty pounds four shillings & six pence farthing being for Three hundred [illegible] Capt Three [illegible] received of Mr Henry Kelley

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Robt Cowan
John Rome
Geo: Taylor
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Dublin Castle Tues. February

One in favour of Mr. Johnson [illegible] for [illegible] being for [illegible] Rup[t] [illegible] of [illegible]

One in favour of Mr. James [illegible] for [illegible] four shillings & five pence half penny being for one hundred twenty nine Rup[ees] three quarters sixteen years rent of Mr. [illegible]

One in favour of Mr. Robert Holden for [illegible] being for one hundred & [illegible] Rup[ees] rent of [illegible]

One in favour of Mr. Henry [illegible] for [illegible] hundred & [illegible] being for Twelve Rup[ees] rent of [illegible] Street Adm[ts] to Capt. Ben. [illegible]

One in favour of Mr. William [illegible] for [illegible] being for [illegible] hundred Rupees [illegible]

One in favour of the Right Honorable [illegible] Earl of [illegible] for One hundred & seven[ty] four [illegible] fourteen [illegible] half penny being for Fifteen hundred [illegible] Rup[ees] [illegible] quarter ninety four years rent of Mr. [illegible] to the Honble Charles Carmichael Esq[r] [illegible]

One in favour of John [illegible] for [illegible] & Fifty) being for Twelve hundred Rupees of William [illegible]

One in favour of Mr. Edgerton [illegible] for one [illegible] being for Eight hundred Rupees rent of [illegible]

One in favour of Capt. William [illegible] for [illegible] hundred & [illegible] being for Seven hundred Rupees rent of Mr. [illegible]

One in favour of Samuel [illegible] Esq[r] for One hundred fifty Pounds being for Twelve hundred Rup[ees] rent of Messrs. John Lambton, Henry Kelly & Thomas Stonestreet

One in favour of Capt. David Kenton for Forty five hundred & sixty [illegible] pence farthing being for Three hundred [illegible] Rup[ees] three quarters one year rent of Mr. Henry Kelly

Adjourned

Robt Crump
John Hoare
Geo: Taylor
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Cornwal
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Adjourned,

Robt Cowan
John Rose
Geo Taylor
Robt Brownlee
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[illegible]
Hamilton
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Robt Cowan
John Rome
Geo Taylor
Robt Brae Jyb
Cathcart
Bressay
Hamilton
Dicranny

Bonny Castle ... February 17[illegible]

One in favour of Mr Johnston [illegible] for Two hundred [illegible] being for Two Hundred Rupees [illegible]

One in favour of Mr Jones [illegible] for [illegible] being for one hundred [illegible] pence halfpenny being for one hundred [illegible] Rupees [illegible] Thirteen [illegible] Mr [illegible]

One in favour of Mr Robert Handley for Twenty [illegible] being for One hundred Fifty Rupees [illegible] Ten hundred [illegible]

One in favour of Mr Henry [illegible] for [illegible] hundred Pounds being for Twelve thousand Rupees [illegible] Mr Thos Stone [illegible] Capt Ellen [illegible]

One in favour of Mr William [illegible] for [illegible] Pounds being for [illegible] hundred Rupees [illegible]

One in favour of the Right Honorable the Earl of [illegible] for One hundred seven & four [illegible] pence halfpenny being for Thirteen hundred [illegible] Rupees [illegible] quarter ninety four rupees received of Mr [illegible] Dominick to the Honble Charles Carmichael Esq [illegible]

One in favour of John [illegible] for [illegible] hundred & Fifty [illegible] being for Two hundred Rupees [illegible]

One in favour of Mr Edgerton [illegible] for One hundred & [illegible] being for Eight hundred Rupees [illegible]

One in favour of Capt William [illegible] for [illegible] hundred [illegible] being for Sixteen hundred Rupees [illegible]

One in favour of Samuel [illegible] Esq for One hundred & fifty Pounds being for Twelve hundred Rupees received of Messrs John Landon, Henry Kellett & Thomas Stone Street

One in favour of Capt David Hunter for Forty five [illegible] two shillings & six pence farthing being for Three hundred [illegible] Rupees received Expenses was [illegible] by Mr Henry Kellett

Adjourned

Post Cowan
John Horne
Geo Taylor
Lt Ogilvie
[illegible]
[illegible]
Hamilton
Dickenson

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

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nis Sales on which acct. there still remained due Tom Roy 90. 47 and that they should forward our Packet to the Hont Company rec.d by the Revenge on the 2d November to Alep. They enclosed sundry Accounts, and requested we would send them two good Portuguese House Carpenters & forn. as the Gentoo ones at present there were entirely use less — Received & Pattamar a letter from Messrs Church & Sibbald and one from Mr Sibbald. —

Mess.rs Church & Sibbald's Letter &c.

The former bore date the 28th September at Syang a pattam advising that as they were in want of a Supply of Cash for the purchase of Pepper, they had drawn three Setts of Bills upon us amounting all together to Rup.s 4937. 2 — which they requested we would discharge. —

Mr Sibbald's Letter &c.

The latter was dated the 22d October at the same place advising that he had likewise drawn three Bills upon us for Rup.s 4000 in favour of Rakee Raguandre & Vaique to which he desired we would shew due Honor. — —

Sailed our Honble Masters Ship Admiral Pocock to the Mallabar Coast & Great Britain —

Received & Pattamar three Letters from the President & Council at Madrass. —

The first was dated the 19th October, enclosed Copy of a letter they had received from Messrs Church & Sibbald, & mentioning that Major General Coote had embarked on the 13th on board the Hawke Sloop for Bufora in order to proceed from thence to England.

The second was dated the 6th Ultimo, and advised that they had received another letter from Messrs Church & Sibbald, acquainting them that the Nawab had desired those Gentlemen to represent to the President & Council the favourable Disposition he had manifested to the Compa. in the Treaty with this Presidency, that the Marattas would hearken to no terms of Accommodation, & in a h

nes Sales on which acct. there shall remained due Som Roy, 90. 47 and that they should forward our Packet to the Hon.ble Company rec.d by the Revenge on the 2d November to Aleppo. They enclosed sundry Accounts, and requested we would send them two good Portuguese House Carpenters, & for as the Gentoo ones at present there were entirely use less. — Received & Pattamar a letter from Messrs Church & Sibbald and one from Mr Sibbald. —

Mess.rs Church & Sibbald Letter &c — The former bore date the 28th September at Syangapatam advising that as they were in want of a Supply of Cash for the purchase of Pepper, they had drawn three Letters of Bills upon us amounting all together to Rupees 4937. 2. — which they requested we would discharge. —

Mr Sibbald Mr James Letter &c — The latter was dated the 22d October at the same place advising that he had likewise drawn three Bills upon us for Rupees 4000 in favour of Rakeel Ragwandro & Vaique to which he desired We would shew due Honor. — —

Monday Sailed our Humble Masters Ship Admiral Pocock to the Mallabar Coast & Great Britain. —

Received & Pattamar three letters from the President & Council at Madrass. —

Letter Mr George Lindsay from — The first was dated the 19th October, enclosed Copy of a letter they had received from Messrs Church & Sibbald, & mentioning that Major General Coote had embarked on the 13th on board the Hawke Sloop for Bussora in order to proceed from thence to England.

The second was dated the 6th Ultimo, and advised that they had received another letter from Messrs Church & Sibbald, acquainting them that the Nawab had desired those Gentlemen to represent to the President & Council the favourable Disposition he had manifested to the Company in the Treaty with this Presidency, that the Marattas would hearken to no terms of Accommodation, & in.l 4

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ns Sales on which acct. there shall remained due Tom Foy, 90. 47 and that they should forward our Packet to the Hont Company acc by the Revenge on the 2d November to Alep. They enclosed sundry Accounts, and requested we would send them two good Portuguese House Carpenters. As for as the Gentoo ones at present there were entirely useless — Received & Pattamar a letter from Messrs Church & Sibbald — and one from Mr Sibbald. — —

Messrs Church & Sibbald Letter &c — The former bore date the 28th September at Syngapatam advising that as they were in want of a Supply of Cash for the purchase of Pepper, they had drawn three Letters of Bills upon us amounting all together to Rupees 4937. 8 — which they requested we would discharge. —

Sibbald & Mr James Letter &c — The latter was dated the 22d October at the same place adv. that he had likewise drawn three Bills upon us for Rupees 4000 in favour of Rakeel Ragwandro & Vaique to which he desired We would shew due Honor — — —

Saturday morning Cloudy Sun rise 6 Sun set 6 Sunday — 8th Sailed our Honble Masters Ship Admiral Pocock to the Mallabar Coast & Great Britain —

9th Received & Pattamar three Letters from the President & Council at Madrass —

Letter Mr George & Mr Brown — The first was dated the 19th October, enclosed Copy of a letter they had received from Messrs Church & Sibbald, Somewhat that Major General Coote had embarked on the 13th on board the Hawke Sloop for Bussora in order to proceed from then to England

The second was dated the 6th Ultimo, and advised that they had received another letter from Messrs Church & Sibbald, acquainting them that the Nawab had desired those Gentlemen to represent to the President & Council the favourable Disposition he had manifested to the Compa on the Treaty with this Presidency, that the Marattas would hearken to no terms of Accommodation, & in 14

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Mess.rs Church & Sibbald Letter &c — The former bore date the 28th September at Syngapatam advising that as they were in want of a Supply of Cloth for the purchase of Pepper, they had drawn three Setts of Bills upon us amounting all together to Rupees 4937. 2 — which they requested we would discharge. —

Mr. Alexr. McJames Letter &c — The latter was dated the 22d October at the same place advising that he had likewise drawn three Bills upon us for Rupees 4000 in favour of Rakee Ragwandre & Vaique to which he desired We would shew due Honor. — —

Saturday Sailed Admiral Pocock (Oct. 25 Sunday) — Sailed our Humble Masters Ship Admiral Pocock to the Mallabar Coast & Great Britain —

9th Received & Pattamar three letters from the President & Council at Madrass. —

Letter to Mr. George & Co. from — The first was dated the 19th October, enclosed Copy of a letter they had received from Messrs Church & Sibbald, & informed us that Major General Coote had embarked on the 13th on board the Hawke Sloop for Bufora in order to proceed from thence to England.

The second was dated the 6th Ultimo, and advised that they had received another letter from Messrs Church & Sibbald, acquainting them that the Nawab had desired those Gentlemen to represent to the President & Council the favourable Disposition he had manifested to the Compa. in the Treaty with this Presidency, that the Maratta would hearken to no terms of Accommodation, & in 14

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therefore hoped he should receive from them the supp
had been given to expect. The President & Council enclo
copy of their Answer to Messrs Church & Sibbald, and
had reason to believe that Reports had been propagated
their Intentions of Joining the Marattas of which the
Nabob seemed very apprehensive, they thought it necess
to assure him that nothing was further from their
Thoughts, and that altho they could not give him the ass
he could wish, nevertheless their assurances of not taking
part against him may probably encourage him to
oppose their efforts with more Vigour & Resolution. They
therefore requested that we would take the first opportun
of giving him the strongest Assurance that they would
not give the least Countenance or Support to the Marattas

For Rt Hon George Lord Macartney

The Third was dated the 9th Ultimo in which they acknow
receipt of our Letters of 16th August and advised that the
Lord Mansfield imported there the 15th September and was
dispatched to Bengal the 26, that the Mafford likewise
arrived the 3rd August and had proceeded on her Voyage to
China. That a very unusual and severe Sickness had
prevailed amongst the Shipping in the River of Beng
had prevented the Gentlemen there from sending them a
Ship for their early Dispatch, but they had given them
reason to expect one by the end of December, but whether to
receive a full or a half loading they were uncertain, bu
as they had no doubt of being able to furnish compleat Ca
for two Ships, and the Gentlemen at Bengal had long befo
acquainted them that they could reasonably expect to giv
full Cargoes for seven. They were in hopes that should the
Morse arrive in Time all the Coast & Bay Ships of this Gov
as well as the Prince of Wales and Duke of Kingston wo
be returned with full Loadings. They mentioned the Japan
Packet having called there in her way to England the 13th Oct
and the Magwas gone to Winter at Trincomalee.

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therefore hoped he should receive from them the assurances
had been given to expect – The President & Council sent him a
copy of their Answer to Messrs Church & Sibbald, and
had reason to believe that Report had been true as to
their Intentions of joining the Marattas – of which the
Nabob seemed very apprehensive, they thought it right
to assure him that nothing was farther from their
Thoughts, and that altho they could not give him the assurance
he could wish, nevertheless their assurances of not being a
part against him may probably encourage him to
oppose their efforts with more Vigour & Resolution. They
therefore requested that we would take the first opportunity
of giving him the strongest Assurance that they would
not give the least Countenance or Support to the Marattas.

To St. George — The Third was dated the 7th Ultimo in which they acknowledge
the receipt of our Letters of 16th August and advised that the
Lord Mansfield imported there the 15th September and was
dispatched to Bengal the 26, that the Mafford likewise
arrived the 3rd August and had proceeded on her Voyage to
China – That a very unusual and severe Sickness had
prevailed amongst the Shipping in the River of Bengal
had prevented the Gentlemen there from sending them a
Ship for their early Dispatch, but they had given them
reason to expect one by the end of December, but whether to
receive a full or a half loading they were uncertain, tho
as they had no doubt of being able to furnish compleat Cargoes
for two Ships, and the Gentlemen at Bengal had long before
acquainted them that they could reasonably expect to give
full Cargoes for seven, They were in hopes that should the
Morse arrive in Time all the Coast & Bay Ships of this Year
as well as the Prince of Wales and Duke of Kingston might
be returned with full Loadings. They mentioned the Lapwing
Packet having called there on her way to England the 15th Sept.
and the Magras gone to Winter at Trincomalee

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therefore hoped he should receive from them the ships
had been given to expect — The President & Co[illegible]
copy of their Answer to Hon[illegible] Church & Sibald, and
had reason to believe that Reports had been propagated
their Intentions of joining the Mahratts of which the
Nabob seemed very apprehensive, they thought it
to assure him that nothing was further from their
Thoughts, and that also they could not give him [illegible]
he could wish, nevertheless their assurances of not [illegible]
part against him may probably encourage him to
oppose their efforts with more Vigour & Resolution. They
therefore requested that we would take the first opportunity
of giving him the strongest Assurance that they would
not give the least Countenance or Support to the Marattas.

To R. Geary — Letter from

The Third was dated the 9th Ultimo in which they acknowledged
receipt of our Letters of 16th August and advised that the
Lord Mansfield imported there the 15th September and was
dispatched to Bengal the 26, that the Mafford likewise
arrived the 3d August and had proceeded on her Voyage to
China — That a very unusual and severe Sickness therein
prevailed amongst the Shipping on the River of Bengal
had prevented the Gentlemen there from sending their
Ships for their early Dispatch, but they had given them
reason to expect one by the end of December, but whether he
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for two Ships, and the Gentlemen at Bengal had long before
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full Cargoes for seven, They were in hopes that should the
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as well as the Prince of Wales and Duke of Kingston would
be returned with full Loadings. They mentioned the Lapwing
Packet having called there on her way to England the 15th Feb
and the Nagpore gone to Winter at Tranquebar

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to assure him that nothing was farther from the
Thoughts, and that altho they could not give him
he could wish, nevertheless their assurances of not
part against him may probably encourage him
oppose their efforts with more Vigour & Resolution
therefore requested that we would take the first opportunity
of giving him the strongest Assurance that they would
not give the least Countenance or Support to the Marattas

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The Third was dated the 7th Ultimo in which they
receipt of our Letters of 16th August and advised that
Lord Mansfield imported there the 15th September and
dispatched to Bengal the 26, that the Hafford likewise
arrived the 31st August and had proceeded on her Voyage
China — That a very unusual and severe Sickness had
prevailed amongst the Shipping in the River of Bengal
had prevented the Gentlemen there from sending them a
Ships for their early Dispatch, but they had given them
reason to expect one by the end of December, but whether
receive a full or a half loading they were uncertain, so
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for two Ships, and the Gentlemen at Bengal had long before
acquainted them that they could reasonably expect to
full Cargoes for seven, They were in hopes that should the
Morse arrive in Time all the Coast & Bay Ships of this Year
as well as the Prince of Wales and Duke of Kingston
be returned with full Loadings They mentioned the Lady
Packet having called there in her way to Engl with
and the Mary gone to Winter at Francis Island

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therefore hoped he should receive from them the [illegible] had been given to expect — The President & Council [illegible] copy of their Answer to Messrs Chauvin & Lebrecht, and had reason to believe that Reports had been [illegible] their Intentions of joining the Mahrattas of which [illegible] Nabob seemed very apprehensive, they thought it [illegible] to assure him that nothing was farther from their Thoughts, and that altho they could not give him [illegible] he could wish, nevertheless their assurance of not [illegible] part against him may probably encourage him to oppose their efforts with more Vigour & Resolution. They therefore requested that we would take the first opportunity of giving him the strongest Assurance that they would not give the least Countenance or Support to the Marattas.

The Third was dated the 9th Ultimo in which they [illegible] receipt of our Letters of 16th August and advised that the Lord Mansfield imported there the 15th September and was dispatched to Bengal the 26, that the Mafford likewise arrived the 31st August and had proceeded on her Voyage to China — That a very unusual and severe Sickness then prevailed amongst the Shipping in the River of Bengal, had prevented the Gentlemen there from sending them a Ship for their early Dispatch, but they had given them reason to expect one by the end of December, but whether it receive a full or a half loading they were uncertain, so as they had no doubt of being able to furnish compleat Cargoes for two Ships, and the Gentlemen at Bengal had long before acquainted them that they could reasonably expect to give full Cargoes for seven. They were in hopes that should the Morse arrive in Time all the Coast & Bay Ships of this Year as well as the Prince of Wales and Duke of Kingston might be returned with full Loadings. They mentioned the Lapwing Packet having called there on her way to England with the [illegible] and the Magnanimous gone to Winter at Tranquebar

For St George — Letter from

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plicite than any we have on the Subject of Parties more expressive of their Governors Authority as the supe military Officer by Virtue of the Commission he be from them as Commander in Chief of all their Forces the Honble Company are therein pleased to order in same as a positive Order never to be departed from direct it shall be published at Madras by the ing Officer, that all their Military Servants may be apprized of that their Resolution, the President for above reasons proposes its being also published here, the other members know not of any Instance under Presidency where the Governors Authority is disputed judge the same at present so necessary; tho for further Guidance, a copy of the said Extract is ordered to be after this Consultation as a Standing Order —

Onore
Factors to assure Hyder Ally that we do not intend to act against the Marattas.

Mess.rs Isbrand and Henshaw must ordered to give Hyder Ally the strongest assurances neither we or the Gentlemen at Madras intend to act the marattas against him. —

Northington
The commander to advise when acquainting his dispatch depend

Read a letter from the Commander of the Northington, acquainting us his Ship is ready on our further order, but we cannot come to any certain Resolution about her Dispatch untill the arrival the Resolution from Onore.

Military
Mr Abington and Members pointed to the command of poy Battalions

There being two Batalions of Sepoys vacant by the Departure of Capt.n Farrer and Leith to Europe the President in consequence of our Resolution in Council the 5th Inst. last appoints Capt.n Abington and Chambers to succeed thereto, as he is informed they both have a Usefull Knowledge of the Country Language, and tho they may not be compleat Masters of it, he does not know of any in the Service who come so near the Honble Company's description in this respect signified here

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plicite than any we have on the Subject of Services more expressive of their Governors Authority as the Supreme military Officer by Virtue of the Commission he bears from them as Commander in Chief of all their Forces; the Honble Company are therein pleased to stable in case as a positive Order never to be departed from direct it shall be published at Madrass by the Commanding Officer, that all their Military Servants may be appriezed of that their Resolution, the President for above reasons proposes its being also published here, as the other members know not of any Instance under the Presidency where the Governors Authority is disputed to judge the same at present unnecessary, the for the Guidance, a copy of the said Extract is ordered to be entered after this Consultation as a Standing Order —

Onore
Factors to assure Hyder Ally that we do not intend to act against the Marattas.

Mess.rs Stobald and Hornchow must be ordered to give Hyder Ally the strongest assurances neither we or the Gentlemen at Madrass intend to assist the Marattas against him. —

Northington
Be commanded to delay her acquainting dispatch desired

Read a letter from the Commander of the Northington, acquainting us his Ships is ready for our further orders, but we cannot come to any certain Resolution about her Dispatch untill the arrival of the Resolution from Onore.

Military
Capt Abington and Chambers promoted to the command of grey Battalions

There being two Battalions of Sepoys vacant by the Departure of Capt Farrer and Keith to Europe the President in consequence of our Resolution in Council the 5th Inst. last appoints Capt Abington and Chambers to succeed thereto, as he is informed they both have a Usefull Knowledge of the Country Language, and tho they may not be compleat Masters of it, he does not know of any in the Service who come so near the Honble Company's description in this respect as signified here

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plicite than any we have on the Subject of Parliament more expressive of their Governors Authority as the supreme military Officer by Virtue of the Commission he bears from them as Commander in Chief of all their Forces. the Honble Company are therein pleased to ordain as a positive Order never to be departed from, and direct it shall be published at Madras by Proclamation, that all their Military Servants may be appriziced of that their Resolution, the President for the above reasons proposes its being also published here, as the other members know not of any Instance under the Presidency where the Governors Authority is disputed, to judge the same at present so necessary, therefore for their Guidance, a copy of the said Extract is ordered to be entered after this Consultation as a standing Order —

Onore
Factors to assure Hyder Ally that we are not intended against the Marattas.

Mess.rs Stibbald and Hawthorne must be ordered to give Hyder Ally the strongest assurances that neither we or the Gentlemen at Madras intend to assist the Marattas against him. —

Northington
Recommitted to advice when acquainting dispatch defered

Read a letter from the Commander of the Northington, acquainting us his Ship is ready for our further orders, but we cannot come to any certain Resolution about her Dispatch untill the arrival of the Resolution from Onore.

Military
Capt. Abington and Chambers promoted to the command of Grenadier Battalions

There being two Battalions of Sepoys vacant by the Departure of Capt. Farrer and Death in Europe the President in consequence of our Resolution in Council the 5th Inst. last apoints Capt. Abington and Chambers to succeed thereto, as he is informed they both have a Usefull Knowledge of the Country Language, and tho they may not be compleat Masters of it, he does not know of any in the Service who come so near the Honble Company's description in this respect signified here

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more expressive of their Governors Authority as their
military Officer by Virtue of the Commission he bears
from them as Commander in Chief of all their Forces
the Honble Company are thereby pleased to [illegible]
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direct it shall be published at Madrass by Hon[illegible]
ing Officer, that all their Military Servants may be
apprized of that their Resolution, the President for
above reasons proposes its being also published here, as
the other members know not of any Instance in our
Presidency where the Governors Authority is [illegible]
judge the same at present unnecessary, tho for [illegible]
Guidance, a copy of the said Extract is ordered to be
after this Consultation as a standing Order —

Onore
Factors to assure Hyder Ally that we do not intend to act against the Marattas.

Mess.rs Tibbald and Hanshaw must ordered to give Hyder Ally the strongest assurances that neither we or the Gentlemen at Madrass intend to assist the Marattas against him. —

Northington
Is coming to Anjengo, her acquaintance dispatch depend

Read a letter from the Commander of the Northington, acquainting us his Ship is under our further orders, but we cannot come to any certain Resolution about her Dispatch untill the arrival of the Resolution from Onore.

Military
Capt. Abington and Chambers promoted to the command of grey Battalions

There being two Battalions of Sepoys vacant by the Departure of Capt. Farrer and Death in Europe the President in consequence of our Resolution in Council the 30th ult. last appoints Capt. Abington and Chambers to succeed thereto, as he is informed they both have a Usefull Knowledge of the Country Language, and tho they may not be compleat Masters of it, he does not know of any in the Service who come so near the Honble Company's description in this respect magnified bove

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solicite than any we have on the Subject of Finances more expressive of their Governors Authority as their Chief military Officer by Virtue of this Commission he bears from them as Commander in Chief of all their Forces the Honble Company are therein pleased to state it came as a positive Order never to be departed from direct it shall be published at Madrass by their Governing Officer, that all their Military Servants may be appriziged of that their Resolution, the President for above reasons proposes its being also published here, as the other members know not of any Instance under the Presidency where the Governors Authority is so much to judge the same at present unnecessary, tho for their Guidance a copy of the said Extract is ordered to be in after this Consultation as a Standing Order —

Onore
Factors to assure Tipu, & Ally that we are not intended against the Marattas.

Mess.rs Stobald and Hanshew must be ordered to give Hyder Ally the strongest assurances neither we or the Gentlemen at Madrass intend to assist the Marattas against him. —

Northington
Commands to advise him acquaintg. dispatch depend

Read a letter from the Commander of the Northington, acquainting us his Ship is ready for our further orders, but we cannot come to any certain Resolution about her Dispatch untill the arrival of the Resolution from Onore.

Military
Capt. Abington and Members appointed to the command of Coy Battalions

There being two Battalions of Sepoys vacant by the Departure of Capt. Farrer and Deith for Europe the President in consequence of our Resolution in Council the 5 Febry last appoints Capt. Abington and Chambers to succeed thereto, as he is informed they both have a Usefull Knowledge of the Country Language, and tho they may not be compleat Masters of it, he does not know of any in the Service who come so near the Hon. Company's description in this respect signified how

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The Mayor Court attending the President at his house, Mr David Carnegie was sworn by him into the Office of Mayor for the ensuing year.

Saturday 28 Signed Letters to Anore, Tellicherry, Anjengo, Tedong and Brigadier Genl Wedderburn.

— That to Anore advised their Factors that we consigned them by the Ships the Northumberland & the Cloth and Profits indented for by Messrs Church & Nisbald to be allowed to the Trade on the same terms as the last which being landed they were directed to dispatch the Ships to Tellicherry we signified our concurrence to the Belguey Rajah and remarked that notwithstanding they had wrote us that they should be in want of every material for building a Factory, we could not suppose that they were in want of Chunam, Stone, Timber, and such like Articles, and we therefore ordered them to send us as exact a list as possible of what they might want with a plan of the building and an Estimate of the Expence, to assist them in which we sent Gumbajee Pettajee, and enclosed a Copy of Sundry Paragraphs of our Honble Masters Commands of the 6th April last.

— That to Tellicherry advised that the Northumberland and Prince Snow were dispatched, the former to proceed to Anjengo Directly, and the latter to touch at their Place, to land several Officers sent to relieve those of their Garrison, after which they were to Dispatch her to Anjengo, we acquainted them the Brigadier General Wedderburn proceeded on the Northumberland to Visit the Garrison at Anjengo from whence he was to return to their Place for the same Purpose, and during his stay there, the Chief

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The Mayor Court attending the President at his house, Mr David Carnegie was sworn by him into the Office of Mayor for the ensuing year.

Saturday 22 Signed Letters to Anore, Tellicherry, Anjengo, Tanjore and Brigadier Genl. Wedderburn.

Letter to Anore

That to Anore advised the Factors that we consigned them by this Ship the Northumberland the Cloth and Perfects undertaken for by Messrs. Church & Nibbald to be delivered to the Peacock on the same terms as the last which being landed they were directed to dispatch the Ship to Tellicherry we signified our concurrence to the Bolgaey Rajah and remarked that notwithstanding they had wrote us that they should be in want of every material for building a Factory, we could not suppose that they were in want of Chunam, Stone, Timber, and such like Articles, and we therefore ordered them to send us as exact a list as possible of what they might want with a plan of the building and an Estimate of the Expence, to assist them in which we sent Gambajee Pullejee, and enclosed a Copy of sundry Paragraphs of our Honble Masters Commands of the 6th April last.

Letter to Tellicherry

That to Tellicherry advised that the Northumberland and Drake Snow were dispatched, the former to proceed to Anjengo Directly, and the latter to touch at their Place, to land several Officers sent to relieve those of their Garrison, after which they were to dispatch her to Anjengo, we acquainted them that Brigadier General Wedderburn proceeded on the Northumberland to visit the Garrison at Anjengo from whence he was to return to their Place for the same Purpose, and during his stay there, the Chief

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The Mayor Court attending the President at his house, Mr David Carnegie was sworn by him into the Office of Mayor for the ensuing year.

Saturday 28 Signed Letters to Anore, Tellicherry, Anjengo, Tedingh and Brigadier General Wedderburn.

— That to Anore advised the Factors that we consigned them by this Ship the Northumberland the Cloth and Perfets indented for by Messrs Church & Nisbald to be delivered to the Cabob on the same terms as the last which being landed they were directed to dispatch the Ship to Tellicherry we signified our Concurrence to the Belgaey Rajah and remarked that notwithstanding they had wrote us that they should be in want of every material for building a Factory, we could not suppose that they were in want of Chunam, Stone, Timber, and such like Articles, and we therefore ordered them to send us as exact a list as possible of what they might want with a plan of the building and an Estimate of the Expence, to assist them in which we sent Gunbajee Pathajee, and enclosed a Copy of Sundry Paragraphs of our Honble Masters Commands of the 6th April last.

— That to Tellicherry advised that the Northumberland and Duke Snow were dispatched, the former to proceed to Anjengo Directly, and the latter to touch at their Place, to land several Officers sent to relieve those of their Garrison, after which they were to Dispatch her to Anjengo, we acquainted them the Brigadier General Wedderburn proceeded on the Northumberland to Visit the Garrison at Anjengo from whence he was to return to their Place for the same Purpose, and during his stay there, the Chief

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The Mayor Court attending the President at his house, Mr David Cornegie was sworn by him into the Office of Mayor for the ensuing year.

Saturday 28 Signed Letters to Onore, Tellicherry, Anjengo, Tedingh and Brigadier Genl. Wedderburn.

That to Onore advised the Factors that we consigned them by this Ship the Northumberland the Cloth and Broches ordered for by Messrs Church & Nesbald to be delivered to the Dabob on the same terms as the last which being landed they were directed to dispatch the Ship to Tellicherry we signified our concurrence to the Bolgaey Rajah and remarked that notwithstanding they had wrote us that they should be in want of every material for building a Factory, we could not suppose that they were in want of Chunam & Stone, Timber, and such like Articles, and we therefore ordered them to send us as exact a list as possible of what they might want with a plan of the building and an Estimate of the Expence, to assist them in which we sent Gumbajee Pettaje, and enclosed a Copy of sundry Paragraphs of our Honble Masters Commands of the 6th April last.

That to Tellicherry advised that the Northumberland and Drake Snow were dispatched, the former to proceed to Anjengo Directly, and the latter to touch at their Place, to land several Officers sent to relieve those of their Garrison, after which they were to dispatch her to Anjengo, we acquainted them the Brigadier General Wedderburn proceeded on the Northumberland to visit the Garrison at Anjengo from whence he was to return to their Place for the same Purpose, and during his stay there, the Chief

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The Mayor Court attending the President at his house, Mr David Carnegie was sworn by him into the Office of Mayor for the ensuing year.

Saturday 28 Signed Letters to Onore, Tellicherry, Anjengo, Sadras and Brigadier Genl. Wedderburn.

Onore letter to

That to Onore advised their Factors that we consigned them by this Ship the Northumberland the Cloth and Perfets indented for by Messrs Church & Nibbald to be delivered to the Dabee on the same terms as the last which being landed they were directed to dispatch the Ship to Tellicherry we signified our concurrence to the Bolguey Rajah and remarked that notwithstanding they had wrote us that they should be in want of every material for building a Factory, we could not suppose that they were in want of Chunam, Stone, Timber, and such like Articles, and we therefore ordered them to send us as exact a list as possible of what they might want with a plan of the building and an Estimate of the Expence, to assist them in which we sent Gambajee Pettajee, and enclosed a Copy of sundry Paragraphs of our Honble Masters Commands of the 6th April last.

Tellicherry letter

That to Tellicherry advised that the Northumberland and Drake Snow were dispatched, the former to proceed to Anjengo Directly, and the latter to touch at their Place, to land several Officers sent to relieve those of their Garrison, after which they were to Dispatch her to Anjengo, we acquainted them the Brigadier General Wedderburn proceeded on the Northumberland to Visit the Garrison at Anjengo from whence he was to return to their Place for the same Purpose, and during his stay there, the Chief

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use, Warlike Stores, Marine Stores, and Stores of Warlike with Quick Stock Account and Account Revenues, and Letters to the Chief & Factors at Anjengo & Governor & Council at St Helena —

Adjourned —

Andw Ramsay Secy

W. Hornby
Cardiff Gordon
Jno. Watson
D. Montgn
Nath Stackhouse
B. Fleming
W. Taylor

Sent Letter to. — Signed also a letter to the Chief & Factors at Tellicherry wherein we owned Receipt of their Letters of the 20th & 27th Ultimo which we promised shortly to reply to by the Northumberland, this being purposely to direct them to lade whatever Cardamons they might have in Warehouse or be able to procure immediately on the Admiral Pocock and Dispatch her to Anjengo advising the Chief and Factors there in case they should be able to lade any Cardamons on her — We directed them to call upon Mr R. T. B. Price to assign his Reasons for his Conduct at the abandoning Onore Fort as it appeared to us in the Course of the Proceedings of the Court of Inquiry held on the Loss of that Fort that no measures had been taken for sending provisions to Forbidden Island, & also that he had prevented Mr Furnet the Senior Master of the Gallivat from doing his duty over the Boat under his Command in both whose Instances Mr Price seemed to have been highly culpable

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use, Warlike Stores, Marine Stores, and Stores [illegible] Warlike with Quick stock Account and Account [illegible] sales, and Letters to the Chief & Factors at Anjengo & Governor & Council at St Helena —

Adjourned —

Andw Ramsay Wm Hornby
Lord Edgcumbe
[illegible]
Jn. Watson
[illegible]
Nath Hackshaw
[illegible]
W. Taylor

Signed also a letter to the Chief & Factors at Tellicherry wherein we owned Receipt of their Letters of the 20th & 27th Ultimo which we promised shortly to re, ly to by the Northumberland, this being purposely to direct them to lade whatever Cardamoms they might have in Warehouse or be able to procure immediately on the Admiral Pocock and Dispatch her to Anjengo advising the Chief and Fact. there in case they should be able to lade any Cardamoms on her — We directed them to call upon Mr R. T. B Price to assign his Reasons for his Conduct at the abandoning Onore Fort as it appeared to us in the Course of the Proceedings of the Court of Inquiry held on the Loss of that Fort that no measures had been taken for sending provisions to Tellicherry Island, & also that he had prevented Mr Furnet the Senior Master of the Galliwat from doing his duty over the Boats under his Command in both the Instances Mr Price seemed to have been highly culpable

Sent Letter to.

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use, Warlike Stores, Marine Stores, and Stores not Warlike with Quick stock Account and Account Revenues, and Letters to the Chief & Factors at Anjengo & Governor & Council at St Helena —

Adjourned —

Andw Ramsay Secy

W. Hornby
Lord Mt Edgcumbe
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Jn. Watson
E. Morton
Nath. Jackson
B. Frere
W. Taylor

Sent Letter to. — Signed also a letter to the Chief & Factors at Tellicherry wherein we owned Receipt of their Letters of the 20th & 27th Ultimo which we promised shortly to reply to by the Northumberland, this being purposely to direct them to lade whatever Cardamoms they might have in Warehouse or be able to procure immediately on the Admiral Pocock and Dispatch her to Anjengo advising the Chief and Factors there in case they should be able to lade any Cardamoms on her — We directed them to call upon Mr R. T. B. Price to assign his Reasons for his Conduct at the abandoning Onore Fort as it appeared to us in the Course of the Proceedings of the Court of Inquiry held on the Loss of that Fort that no measures had been taken for sending provisions to Tristheed Island, & also that he had prevented Mr Furnet the Senior Master of the Gallivat from doing his duty over the Boat under his Command in both which Instances Mr Price seemed to have been highly culpable

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use, Warlike Stores, Marine Stores, and Stores not Warlike with Quick Stock Account and Account Receiveables, and Letters to the Chief & Factors at Anjengo & Governor & Council at St Helena ——

Adjourned ——

Andw Ramsay Secy

Wm Hornby
David Anderson
[illegible]
Jn. Watson
E. Morton
Nath Slaughton
B. Hunter
W. Taylor

Dispatch Letter to

Signed also a letter to the Chief & Factors at Tellicherry wherein we owned Receipt of their Letters of the 20th & 27th Ultimo which we promised shortly to reply to by the Northumberland, this being purposely to direct them to lade whatever Cardamoms they might have in Warehouse or be able to procure immediately on the Admiral Pocock and Dispatch her to Anjengo advising the Chief and Factors there in case they should be able to lade any Cardamoms on her — We directed them to call upon Mr R. T. B. Price to assign his Reasons for his Conduct at the abandoning Onore Fort as it appeared to us in the Course of the Proceedings of the Court of Inquiry held on the Loss of that Fort that no measures had been taken for sending provisions to Fortified Island, & also that he had prevented Mr Forrest the Senior Master of the Galliwat from doing his duty over the Boat under his Command in both which Instances Mr Price seemed to have been highly culpable

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ue, Warlike Stores, Marine Stores, and Stores not Warlike with Quick Stock Account and Account Revenues, and Letters to the Chief & Factors at Anjengo & Governor & Council at St Helena ——

Adjourned ——

Andr Ramsay Secy

Wm Hornby
David Anderson
[illegible]
Jn. Watson
D. Morrison
Nath Hackshaw
R. Tillier
W. Taylor

Extract Letter &c. —— Signed also a letter to the Chief & Factors at Tellicherry wherein we owned Receipt of their Letters of the 20th & 27th Ultimo which we promised shortly to reply to by the Northumberland, this being purposely to direct them to lade whatever Cardamoms they might have in Warehouse or be able to procure immediately on the Admiral Pocock and Dispatch her to Anjengo advising the Chief and Factors there in case they should be able to lade any Cardamoms on her - We directed them to call upon Mr R. T. B. Price to assign his Reasons for his Conduct at the abandoning Onore Fort as it appeared to us in the Course of the Proceedings of the Court of Inquiry held on the Loss of that Fort that no measures had been taken for sending provisions to Fortified Island, & also that he had prevented Mr Furnet the Senior Master of the Galliwat from doing his duty over the Boat under his Command in both which Instances Mr Price seemed to have been highly culpable

him to the Assistance of Surat Factory We sent Mr Jam Cheape to relieve him in the Charge of that Settlement We also enclosed sundry Pars of the Hon Companys Commands of the 6th April last

Onore Letter to

Signed also a Letter to the Factors at Onore wherein we owned receipt of several Letters from them & enclosed Copy of a Letter to Messrs Church & Gibbald from the President and Council at Madras, conformable to which we desired them to give the most solemn assurances that the Natives would not be afforded any assistance either from them Gentlemen or Us, and that it was not our Intention to interfere in any Shape in their Dispute. We desired them in future to address the Board on all Matters that did not require the utmost Secrecy, & as our Honble Masters Ship Northington was expected here for a Cargo, We desired their utmost Endeavours to collect all the Pepper they possibly could, advertising us as soon as possible what Quantity they expected to have in Warehouse after the Return of the Resolution and by what time. That in future all Pattamar Boats from Tellicherry would touch at this Place to afford them perpetual opportunities of advising their Remains, which they were on no account to detain longer than twenty four hours. —

Saturday 15th Sailed the Fanny Ketch to Fort Victoria

Surat Letter from

Received by Pattamar a Letter from the Chief & Council at Surat dated the 9th Instant wherein they owned receipt of our Commands of the 29th Ultimo and in reply to the part of them regarding their proposal of giving the vacant Office of Naib to Meer Amroodeen and in vindication of their Sentiments they observed that their Conduct on this Occasion was strictly conformable to what they thought their Duty; That they were obliged to go out the Nabobs Brother, as the Nabob himself on a

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him to the Assistance of Surat Factory, We sent Mr James Cheape to relieve him in the Charge of that Settlement. We also enclosed sundry Pars. of the Hon. Companys Commands of the 6th April last.

Onore Letter to

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Surat Letter from

Received Pr. Pattamar a Letter from the Chief & Council at Surat dated the 9th Instant wherein they owned receipt of our Commands of the 29th Ultimo and in reply to that part of them regarding their proposal of giving the vacant Office of Naib to Meer Amroodeen and in vindication of their Sentiments they observed that that their Conduct on this Occasion was strictly conformable to what they thought their Duty; That they were obliged to form out the Nabob's Brother as the Nabob himself on a for-

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Onore Letter to

Signed also a Letter to the Factors at Onore wherein we owned receipt of several Letters from them & enclosed Copy of a Letter to Messrs Church & Hibbald from the President and Council at Madras, conformable to which we recommended them to give the most solemn assurances that the Naick would not be afforded any assistance either from these Gentlemen or Us, and that it was not our Intention to interfere in any Shape in their Disputes. We ordered them in future to address the Board on all Matters that do not require the utmost Secrecy, & as our Honble Master's Ship Northington was then there for a Cargo, to exert their utmost Endeavours to collect all the Pepper they possibly could, advising us as soon as possible what Quantity they expected to have in Warehouse after the Return of the Resolution and by what time. That in future all Pattamar Boats from Tellicherry would touch at the Place to afford them perpetual opportunities of advising their Remains, which they were on no account to detain longer than twenty four hours.

Saturday 15th Sailed the Fanny Ketch to Fort Victoria.

Surat Letter from

Received by Pattamar a Letter from the Chief & Council at Surat dated the 9th Instant wherein they owned receipt of our Commands of the 29th Ultimo and in reply to that part of them regarding their Proposal of giving the vacant Office of Naib to Meer Amroodeen and in vindication of their Sentiments they observed that that their Conduct on this Occasion was strictly conformable to what they thought their Duty; That they were obliged to form out the Nabobs Brother, as the Nabob himself on a for

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

NO : [illegible]

YEAR : [illegible]

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

DATE : [illegible]

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BOMBAY CASTLE AUGUST 1724.

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GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

NO : 4-A

YEAR : 1731

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

DATE : 07/09/2007

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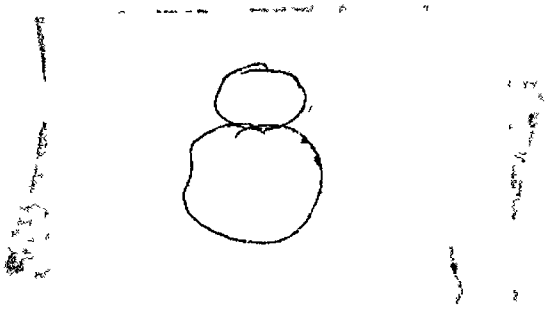

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GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

NO :

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Bombay Castle ... July [illegible]

The Case of Bapoo [illegible]
the great Mean expences from the [illegible]
for giving Him a clear insight into the [illegible]
charges and Concerns in my office [illegible]
be calculated, I could all me [illegible]
Covenants Servants and Chosen [illegible]
Therefore the above Gentlemen will for the future
[illegible] Approved ——

Adjourned,

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

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			Rupees	
1713		Treasury.		
June	1	To Ballance of Cas[h] D[itto] Month	307727	[illegible]
		" Running Cash	54000	
			Rupees 361727	[illegible]

1713		Treasury.		
June	30	By Ballance	361727	[illegible]

Bombay Castle 30 June 1713

Thos Cresspoldt

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Bombay Castle. . . . . .

The Increase of Expence this month [illegible]
original Monies proceed from the Collections
for grounds thereon flowing into the current
Charges and Encreases a Synchronical Date Expence
[illegible] at least the Increase [illegible]
Government Servants and Mar. somewhat encreased
therefore the above Establishments desire this may be
without Delay proceed [illegible]

Adjourned.

Wm Wake
John Morley
Wm Sedgwick

(5)

1713 June 1	Treasury		
	To Ballance of last Month		207777
	" Running Cash		154000
		Encrease	361777

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1713 June 30	Treasury. By Balance	361777

Bombay Castle 30th June 1714

Wm Wake
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Bombay Castle ..... July 1. 1

The Increase of the Revenue [illegible] quarter [illegible] improved from the [illegible] for government [illegible] charges and Expences [illegible] be [illegible] at least all [illegible] Covenante [illegible] and Reversion which [illegible] therefore the [illegible] Establishment [illegible] [illegible] Approved [illegible]

Adjourned.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

1713		Treasury	
June	1	To Ballance of last Month	307777
		" Running Cash	51000
		Rupees	358777

1713		Treasury	
June	30	By Balance	358777

Bombay Castle 30th June 1713

[illegible]

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Wm Weale

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68 [illegible]

Bombay Castle ..... July [illegible]

The Increase of Balances on the revenue [illegible] into great Measure proceeds from the Honble Company [illegible] for giving them a Clear insight into the several branches [illegible] Charges and Revenues, may perhaps still require the [illegible] be allotted at least till we are supplied with a sufficient [illegible] Covenant Servants and those somewhat constituted [illegible] Therefore the above Establishment will for the present [illegible] with their Approval. [illegible]

Adjourned.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

1713		Treasury	
June	1	To Ballance of Last Month	207727 [illegible]
		" Running Cash	54000
		Pagoes	361727 [illegible]

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Bombay Castle 30th June 1713

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TOTAL EXPOSURES
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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

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NO : 17-I

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EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

DATE : 07/09/20

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1755. Thursday [illegible]

3. Dispatched the Consignment to the Board of Commissioners to the Duty and Commissioners [illegible]

4. At a Consultation Present

The Honble William Hamilton President

Mr Thos Fearn Hodgkinson — Members in Council

George Dudley

Hugh Stewart — Stewart Sheer

John Harris

Thomas Morris at Madras

The President acquainted the Board that by private Advices he has received from Mr Foster Chief at Tellicherry, we may expect to receive upwards of five Thousand Candies (viz. 5000) of Pepper there whence we may hope not to be straitened for Tonnage the ensuing Year, and therefore desired Mr Foster not to be of such that a Quantity of Pepper can now be procured at Onore within the Time we last spoke to his Return hither was fixed, and to which the Board agree. —

Letter being perused & the Consultation for procuring Pepper confirmed to Commencement in February and a Letter ordered according to the above Resolution. Also read approved and signed. —

Signed also a Letter to Mr Anthony Hilton absolutely agreeable to the Resolution came to Yesterday. —

Ordered that Mr Hugh Cummins get himself in readiness for proceeding to Onore on the Tellicherry Sloop Mother and that he be allowed a Servant up for him. —

Read Communication of Advices of a Vessel arrived from Mr Foster

Resolution resolved to be a Consultation

Mr Hugh Cummins

Mr Anthony Hilton

No. 55 — Proceedings — Commissioners

3. Dispatched the Letter signed on the Preceding Consideration to the Chief and Factors at Sorel.

4. At a Consumation Present

The Honble William Hale Esq. President & Commr.

The Honble John Mosley Esq. — William Judge

George Dudley

Hugh Heward — Edward Orme

John Munro

Thomas Marsh at Michilimackinac

The President declared to the Board that by private Advices he had received from Mr. Sexton Chief at Michilimackinac he may expect to receive upwards of five Thousand Gallons (No. 5000) of Rum there, whence he may be enabled to be straightened for Tonnage the ensuing Year, and therefore should Mr. Orme meet in be of opinion that a quantity of Rum may be procured at Quebec within the Price mentioned Limit to his return hither, proposed, and to which the Board agree.

Mr. Commissioner addressed to Mr. Orme

A Letter being prepared by Mr. Commissioner for promoting this conformable to Resolution of Yesterday and a addition made according to the above Resolution, it was read, approved and signed.

Letter to Mr. Orme

Signed also a Letter to Mr. Anthony Hyslop acknowledgy agreeable to the Resolution came to Yesterday.

Letter to Mr. Anthony Hyslop

Ordered that Mr. Hugh Heyman get himself in readiness for proceeding Monday to the Fisheries daily hither and that he is instructed to attend to him.

Mr. Hugh Heyman ordered Monday

Pembroke Castle [illegible]

3. Dispatched the [illegible] requested in the preceding Consultation in the Chief and Council's [illegible]

4. At a Consultation Present —

The Honble William Mackenzie [illegible]
The Hon[ble] John Hadley Esq[r] — William Indgrove
George Dudley
Hugh Howard — Edward Cross
John Hurrea
Thomas Marsh at Madras

Letter communicated Mr Lestrange of attorney from Mr Parker

The President reported to the Board that by private advices he has received from Mr Parker Chief of Sillebar[illegible] we may expect to have a supply of five Thousand Candies (No. 5000) of Pepper there, whether we may depend upon it being shipped for Tonnage the ensuing Year, and therefore should Mr Parker be of opinion that a quantity of Pepper can be procured at Quere within the Time we last spoke to him between hither, for Period, and to which the Board agree. —

on [illegible]

Mr Cornwallis's letter from Quere

A letter being prepared to Mr Cornwallis for providing Pice conformable to Consultation Tuesday and on [illegible] according to the above Resolution was read approved and signed. —

Letter to Mr Anthony

Signed also a Letter to Mr Anthony Upton as friendly agreeable to the Resolution came to Yesterday. —

Letter to Mr Hughes

Ordered that Mr Hughes be forthwith get himself in readiness for proceeding to his Aurungs the Peshkhadar[illegible] Shither and that he [illegible] no Interpreter for him. —

[illegible]

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3. Dispatched the Letters signed in the Preceding Consideration to the Chief and Other Messengers —

4. At a Conservation Present —

The Honble William Molesworth Commissioner of Works

The Hon. John Hedley Esq. — Commissioner

George Dudley —

Hugh Barnard — Edward Snow

John Hussey

Thomas Marsh at Sudbury

The President reported to the Board that by private Advices he had received from Mr. Perkins Chief at Fallenberg in reply to the recommendations of five Thousand Candies (Ca. 5000) of Rice there, whence we may hope not to be straightened for Tonnage the ensuing Year, and therefore should Mr. Commissioner be of opinion that a quantity of Rice should be procured at Cuttack within the Tenure of Last Permit hence to be taken hither, it proposed, and to which the Board assented.

A Letter being prepared to Mr. Commissioner for providing Rice conformably to Consultation Yesterday and a Letter accordingly according to the above Resolution was read, approved and signed.

Signed also a Letter to Mr. Anthony Upton as Sicity agreeable to the Resolution came to Yesterday.

Ordered that Mr. Wright Commander get himself in readiness for proceeding to his charge as the Tides designate thither and that he be instructed in the necessary for him.

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Bombay Castle Secretary's Office

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Mr Summers to get Receipt for the Secure of Rice by the Jam of Cockrawly. —

In the Year one thousand seven hundred and thirty eight (1738) Mr Thomas Boddam having by Direction from hence purchased on Spindy a large Quantity of Rice for the Honble Company, one hundred and sixty Tarawes (Nos 126) of which was secured by the Jam of Cockrawly to the value of three thousand three hundred Rupees (Rs 3300.00) but nothing as yet has been received although he purchased to make restitution and Mr Boddam is now there whose Accounts of what transactions have been sometime here and by the Report made in March 1756 of his Estate appears the Honble Company must suffer in the Sum of Rupees thousand one hundred and thirty nine Rupees and twenty nine Pies. If no Redress can be had it is therefore Directed that Copys of all Accounts and Papers relating to that purchase be delivered to Mr Summers who must use his best endeavours for getting a suitable satisfaction —

Adjourned

H. Hall

Jno Cooke

Wm Hargwicke

Geo Dudley

Hugh Howard

Jno Summers

Mr Summers to get Receipt for the Secure of Rice by the Jam of Cockrawly. —

The Letters to Messrs Cromandel & Hyden wanting a Notice the former by Capt Shepherd that is to call at Cove & the other by a Boat Express. —

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Mr Sommers to be
Wrote for the Security of
Rice by the Jam of
Cockrowly. —

Bombay Castle February the 5th 1784

At the Town one thousand seven hundred and thirty eight (1738) Mr Charles Boddam having by Direction from hence purchased ready a large Quantity of Rice for the Worship Company, one hundred and sixty Tonnes (Ton 126) of which was seized by the Jam of Cockrowly to the value of three thousand three hundred Rupees (Rs 3300.00) but nothing as yet has been recovered although he promised to make restitution and Mr Boddam is now there whose Accounts of what transactions have been heretofore and by the Report made in March 1775 (Pg) it appears the Worship Company must suffer in the Sum of twelve thousand one hundred and thirty nine Rupees one Quarter thirty nine Reis. If no Redress can be had it is therefore Directed that Copys of all Accounts and Papers relating to that purchase be delivered to Mr Sommers who must use his best endeavours for getting satisfaction —

Adjourned

W. Hornby

Jonathan Duncan

W. Wedgwith

Geo Dudley

Hugh Howard

Jonathan Duncan

The Letters to Mr Governor Upton complimentary the former by a Sloop that sailed at Surat, the other by Boat Express. —

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Bombay Castle February the [illegible]

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(Mr Simmons to get [illegible] for the Service Rec. by the Sam of [illegible] —

In the Year one thousand seven hundred and thirty eight, 1738. Nicholas Boddam having by Direction from the respective [illegible] obtained a large Quantity of Tea for the [illegible] Company, one hundred and [illegible] (of which was secured by the Sam of Cocks on Bills [illegible] value of three thousand three hundred [illegible] has nothing as yet has been received [illegible] to make satisfaction and Mr Boddam [illegible] whose Accounts of what has [illegible] here and by the Report made in March [illegible] affirms the Worth Company [illegible] of twelve thousand one hundred and [illegible] one Quarter thirty nine Tons of the Water [illegible] it is therefore Directed that [illegible] relative to the Purchase be delivered to [illegible] into [illegible] for [illegible]

Adjourned

Nicholas
Harris
Wheatwell
Geo Dodd
Hugh Howard
Jno Nev

The Letter to Mr Commander Upton was read & the other to the former by a Sloop that is to call at Cape & the other by the Best Express. —

Ad

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Bombay Castle February the 7th 1783

Mr Sommers to out Vessel for the Service of Rice by the Jam of Cutcherrie.

In the Year one thousand Seven hundred and thirty eight (1738) Mr Charles Baddeley having by Direction from home purchased on Speculation a large Quantity of Rice for the Honble Company, one hundred and Ten Tonnes (Ton 110) of which was seized by the Jam of Cutcherrie to the value of three thousand three hundred Rupees (Rs 3300:00) but nothing as yet has been received although he has made repeated Solicitations and Mr Baddeley (now the Owner) whose Accounts of what transactions have been heretofore and by the Report made in March 1775 of the Proceedings the Honble Company must suffer on the Loss of Rs 3300 one hundred and thirty rupees Rupees two Quarters thirty nine Reis. If no Redress can be had it is therefore Directed that Copies of all Accounts and Papers relating to that purchase be delivered to Mr Sommers who must use his best endeavours for getting satisfaction satisfaction.

Adjourned

H. Mark

Jonathan

W. Hagerwith

Geo Bedley

Hugh Howard

Jmuner

The Letters to Mr Commodore Upton were dispatched the former by a Shipper that sailed Above & the other by a Boat Express.

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Mr Sparrow to be allowed a Bounty for the Service he has done by the Sum of Twenty Pounds.

Bounty to Mr Sparrow

Mr Sparrow informed the Board that he had received from Mr Baddeley a Bill of Exchange for one thousand Dollars payable at Sight, drawn by Mr Baddeley upon the Commissioners of the Navy, which he had accepted, and that he had received from the Navy Office Bills to the amount of Twenty Pounds, which he had paid to Mr Baddeley, and that he had received no Money for the Service of the Navy Office, but that he had received Money for the Service of the Ordnance Office, by the Sum

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Mr Governor laid before the Court a Deed for the Lease of Rice by the Firm of Cockerouly —

Monday the 5th February 1781

Resolved that the Sum of One thousand Dollars advanced and lent by Mr Thomas Boddam Merchant to the Honble Company on the Security of Rice to the Honble Company and lodged under Charge (Act 1200) of which was received by the Firm of Cockerouly to the value of Three Hundred Pagodas (£300) but nothing yet has been received although repeated Demands have been made for the same and Mr Boddam's Accounts have been from time to time allowed of which transactions have been duly entered by the Board in March 1779 & 1780 & it appears the Honble Company must suffer in the Sale of such Rice unless it be delivered Thirty nine Days or Two Months & Thirty nine Days if no Mistake be made in the first Date of the Sale of all Rice & Mr Boddam's Letter to be delivered to Mr Governor & Mr Governor must use the best endeavours for getting the Debt satisfied —

Adjourned

Hilton

Jno Cooper

W Hogewith

Geo Dudley

Hugh Howard

Jno Graves

The Letters to Mr Governor & Mr Hilton were read & the former by Mr Shytes Mate & Carney the other by a Boat Corporal —

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Mr Gunnery Bondsby Sworn for the Service
Rice by the Jam of
Cockerawly —

Bondsby Sworn for Cockerawly the Rice

[illegible] Thousand
Seven hundred and Ninety Eight (£1798 8s). Mr Thomas
Bondsby swore by Direction from Company's Accounts
that Cockerawly Large Jam Rice for the Honble
Company, one thousand Seven Hundred Barrels (No 1200)
of which was received by the Jam of Cockerawly to the
value of three thousand three hundred and Eighty (£3380)
but nothing yet has been received although he produced
to such transactions and Mr Bondsby's accounts
of other transactions have been transmitted
here and by the Report received in March 1798 the
Committee approve the Work Company's Accounts
of Mr Bondsby and Mr Gunnery and that proper Vouchers
be given for Discharge of all Accounts and Papers
relating to Mr Bondsby be delivered to Mr Gunnery
who will take the best measures for getting possession of the
Jam —

Adjourned

H. Dundas
Ja Andrews
W. Hagwitt
Geo Dudley
Hugh Howard
Gunnery

The Letters to Mr Commodore Gunnery & Mr Bondsby were delivered to the former by Mr Hughes & Mr Bondsby by the Post Boy —

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Pomeroy Castle ... Manor &c

Humbly Sheweth

That at the time the Commission was made out and the Town Hall Town Petitioners were ordered to Rebuild their Houses & Warehouses by the Lord Pomeroy Trees were used the Mode of Stone gen, which being at so great a distance from the Town, from which those Houses Stone were, they were made Good by the Lord Pomeroy to bring Their Goods Loaden with Wally and Wood to the Town where a Church and some Inhabitants were after [illegible] an Account of what Inhabited and Repaired the [illegible] Custom house which was intended to have been [illegible] Pomeroy Back and many expence of Carriage [illegible] same is now discontinued; whereby Your Petitioners are greatly prejudiced as well by loss of time as the great expence incurred as above mentioned. — Your Petitioners Beg Leave further to represent, that in the time of Pomeroy the Lord they paid out of Pocket Rent from two to Ten Pounds each house, but after Building the Town Hall they were ordered to pay a certain Rent for each house which they submitted to, as their habitations were in the Hall which they conceived to protection; but now they are now removed to a great distance, they pay for some abatement on the said Rent. —

May it therefore please Your Honour &c to take the premises into Consideration and grant Your Petitioners such Relief as in Your great Wisdom and Justice shall seem fit. —

And Your Petitioners shall ever Pray. —

Manive —

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Extract from

Extract Letter

By the received letter from the President [illegible]
of Bengall dated the 28th January on Washington
the Dress of Letter [illegible] but has right to debt [illegible]
House and Effects, but no [illegible] bidding [illegible]
her with all expedition with a large Cargo of [illegible]
Sugar and Piece Goods. They [illegible] the [illegible]
[illegible] with a Sufficient [illegible] [illegible] freight. The [illegible]
America was under Dispatch for Europe and [illegible]
would [illegible] about the middle of February. —
Received also a Letter from the Chairman [illegible]
Tellicherry dated the 18th Inst. That they have [illegible]
Mr Governor at Mangalore this [illegible] [illegible]
hundred and ten (3910) Pagodas and [illegible] [illegible]
Pepper Merchants in [illegible] five hundred (500) [illegible]
which was still due forty three thousand nine hundred
and twenty five (43925) Pagodas, but they [illegible]
very many [illegible] Interest as it would not be [illegible]
[illegible] of keeping it till October. They have in Hand
two thousand six hundred and twenty five and
eight annas (2625 8) of Pepper and two thousand
five hundred and nine maunds (2565 0)
and standing of their Court and the Season —
Expectation they have no reason to doubt [illegible]
quantity of Pepper. Received for duty (5200) [illegible]
Raised from the Customers Branch Mangalore [illegible]
[illegible] the Duty of half a Pagoda [illegible]
[illegible] to agreement [illegible] and [illegible] upon a Pagoda
he refused to comply with and they have [illegible]
to request that Aspen — By the Hindostan [illegible]
Angos Ships they had given [illegible]
[illegible] off shore — The Tyger Sloop at Bay remained [illegible]
[illegible] to her shell [illegible] and [illegible]
By the same Conveyance received a Letter from the
[illegible] Factory at Anjengo dated the [illegible]
[illegible] of Mr Bouchier by the Hindostan [illegible]
[illegible] delivered over Charge of the Settlement [illegible]

Bombay Gazette

No. 415

Letter from

By have received a letter from the Consul at Bengal dated the 28th January advising the Success Polly and Ann Merchant has sailed from Bombay, but no new bidding has yet taken place for either, but no new bidding has yet taken place for either with an expectation with a large consignment of Sugar and Dry Goods. They have sign the Mauritius Coast with a Surplus cargo and will be freight. Mr. Amelia was under Dispatch for Europe and would sail about the middle of February. —

Received also a letter from the Consul at Tellicherry dated the 16th Nov. That they had Mr. Cormerton at Mangalore thirty seven thousand one hundred and ten (37110) Pagodas and he had also the Pepper Merchants on board of five hundred (500) Tons which was still Nine forty three thousand nine hundred and twenty five (43925). The reason that they had not any money up at Interest as it could not be got up in Consequence of keeping it till October they had in March two thousand six hundred and twenty five and eight annas (2625.8) of Pepper and two thousand five hundred and nine rupees (2065.9) and standing of Rice Coast which has been information they have no reason to doubt the necessity of Bengal Pagodas (3236) which raises them the Customary stand. Mangalore receiving the Duty of half a Pagoda per Bag on drying to agreement and insisted upon the Pepper he refused to comply with and they stood on to request that Affair. — By the Mauritius Pursuit Jones Single Ship they have given the Commander Orders out of Shoon. — The Tyger Sailed at they now when the letting to her shall be sent by the next opportunity. — By the same Conveyance received a letter from the Gentlemen at Anjengo dated the 5th Nov. advising received of 305 Bags Pepper by the Merchant Jackson which will be delivered over Charge of the Commander on his Arrival at the [illegible]

Letter from

By the same received a letter from the Court of Directors of Bengal dated the 28th of January advising the Success Polly and Hardwicke, that they expected the Hawke and Tiger, but were in doubt they should not be able to expect them in time to complete their respective Sugar and Piece Goods. They have sent the Ghorab to Bengal with a Supply of Cash, and have sent the Amelia under Dispatch for Bengal and she would sail about the middle of February —

Received also a letter from the Chairman and Deputy dated the 6th Inst. — That they received Mr. Cromwelin's Mangalore bill, seventy thousand one hundred and ten (70,110) Pagodas and proceed on the Pepper Adventure on hand offers for value £300,000 which was still near forty three lacs and twenty five £43,25 Pagodas, and expected equal to any money upon that account, it would be prudent of keeping it till October they have drawn Twelve Thousand Six hundred and twenty five Bengal Maunds (12625 B) of Pepper, and have 14 Sixty five Cowdys and three maunds (2865. 0) and according of their Sales with the Season — 4 Information they have no reason to doubt but Quantity of Bengal Pepper and Sixty of 33.30 Rates from the Lastow market with Bangalore Pepper the Duty of Rolla Pagodas 2 Bengal according to agreement and resolution they have be refused to comply with them they shall not to request that Affair — Rolla Mochelore sent from Bengal Ships they had given the Commander Trade put off shore — The Tyger Pattimar they were sent the Cutting to for shall be sent hither and after Quality — By the same Conveyance received a letter from and Factory at Tajanore dated the 5th Pagodas advising arrival at A. K. Boulbien by the Gen. Sahib to whom Whose bill had delivered over Bangor the Factory

Forsythe Coste

Letter from

By the received letter from Mr [illegible]
of Bengall dated the 28 of January advises that
the Success Galley arrived safe in Coast but upon the Coast of
Coromandel Coast, but was obliged to leave her
behind with expectations with a Cargo consisting of Sugar and Cuff Goods. They brought the Ship
back with a Freight, are now agreed at Fort
Amelia was under Dispatch for Europe and
would Sail about the middle of February. —
Received also a letter from the Governor of
Fellickerry dated the 16 Octo 1710 — That they have
M. Commodore Mangelore Vitty given them
hundred and ten (310) Pieces and for [illegible]
Pepper. Mr Commodore in for a loan hundred (500) Pa.
which was still due forty Pagodas and one hun
and twenty five (4325) Pagodas but they expected
every money upon Demand and begged
delay of keeping it till October they had in Hand
two thousand six hundred and twenty five Pagodas
eight Mazeeds (2625 8) of Pepper and two th
sixty five Corrigs and one mazeed (2065 1)
and standing of their Coast rate this season —
Information they have reason to doubt
quantity of Pepper Mazeed in stock (8000)
advises it on the Coast was small, tranquil
increase the Duty of half a Pagoda for Corrigs
during the agreement for a transition from Pagoda
to be not used to comply with them they shall
to adjust their Affairs — As the Mr Commodore must
a single Ship they had great Expectations
put of them — The Tyger Pilot ship
relating to her shall be sent by the next opportunity —
By the same Conveyance received a letter from the
and Factors at Anjengo [illegible]
[illegible] Mr Boulter by the [illegible]
[illegible]

Secretary's Office

Extracts from

By have received a Letter from the Governor of Bengall under the 28th January advising them of the Success of Colley and mentioning that he expected the Cornwallis, Indiaman, and no one doubting they would be here without expedition with a Cargo consisting of Salt, Sugar and Piece Goods. They therefore signified their Intention to send with a Pacquet for Europe and the Amelia was under Despatch for Europe and they would sail about the middle of February —

Received also a Letter from the Chairmen of Fortifications dated the 16th Ultimo — That they have [illegible] Commodore Stanhope with Thirty seven thousand and ten (37210) Dispoos and found in the Treasury Arrears on hand of five hundred (500) Pagodas which were still due, forty three thousand nine hundred and twenty five (43925) Pagodas but they made no [illegible] money up on Interest as it could not be [illegible] of keeping it till October they had on Hand two thousand six hundred and twenty five and [illegible] Pagodas (2625. 8) of Pepper and have [illegible] twenty five Corgies and were owing [illegible] (2665 0) and receiving of their Customs which [illegible] — [illegible] information they have no reason to doubt [illegible] Pagodas Nineteen and twenty (19020) [illegible] Advises that the Lascars [illegible] receive the Duty of half a Pagoda [illegible] Corgie [illegible] to agreement and insisted upon a Pagoda he refused to comply with and they stand [illegible] to expect that before — As the Marchelone must [illegible] Single Ship they had given the Commander [illegible] out of them — The Tyger Pilot they [illegible] belonging to her shall be sent by the first opportunity. —

By the same Conveyance received a letter from the [illegible] Fortress at Tellicherry dated the 3rd Ultimo [illegible] of Mr. Boulthier by the Mechanics to whom [illegible] Chargé of the Settlement [illegible]

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We signed by them both concurring etc. —

At a Consultation Present —

The Honble William Wake Esqr President & Governor
The Wm Thos Wheteshill Esqr ... John Morley
William Ludgercke ... George Dudley
Edward Owen ... John Munro
Thomas Hazelt } Indisposed
Hugh Howard }

Read the Advices from Bengall, Tellicherry and Anjigo received by the Winchelsea, Extracts of which are entered on the Diary preceding this Consultation

The President acquaints the Board he had purposely called this meeting to consider whether the Winchelsea should be sent to Surat as should such a resolution be taken no time ought to be lost, observing that having lately been discoursed with Monackjee Nowrojee and other Merchants concerning the Freight Goods they assured him the proprietors will readily advice to have them landed provided we will send them upon the Companys Vessels after the Tavies. It is therefore agreed that her Cargo be landed here for as the season is so late it would be a great Vague to send the Ship to Surat

Adjourned

W. Wake
Thos Wheteshill
Morley
Geo Dudley
Munro

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M 122
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Mr Sigrd by them both were entered. —

A Consultation Present —

The Honble William Wake Esqr President & Governor
The Hon Chas Whitehill Esqr ... John Morley
William Sedgwicke ... George Dudley
Edward Ewers ... John Munro
Thomas Marsh } Indisposed
Hugh Howard }

Read the Advices from Bengall, Tellicherry and Ingo received by the Winchelsea, Extracts of which are entered in the Diary preceding this Consultation

Orders Cargo to be landed here

The President acquaints the Board he had purposely called this meeting for consider whether the Winchelsea should be sent to Surat as should such a resolution be taken no time might be lost, observing that however that having discussed with Monackjee Nowrojee and other Merchants concerning the Freight Goods They expressed from the proposition will readily agree to have them landed, provided we will send them upon the Company's Vessels after the Twenty Ist therefore Agreed that her Cargo be landed here for as the Season is so late it would be a great Vexque to send the Ship to Surat

Adjourned

W Wake
Chas Whitehill
Morley
Geo Dudley

Ewers

Bombay Castle — April the 26th 1772

Mr Sugard by them both were entered —

At a Consultation Present —

The Honble William Wake Esqr President & Governor
The Mr Phi: Whitehill Esqr — John Morley
William Sedgwicke — George Dudley
Edward Owen — John Munro
Thomas Marsh } Indisposed
Hugh Vincent }

Read the Advices from Bengall, Tellicherry and Mangalore received by the Winchelsea, Extracts of which are entered in the Diary preceding this Consultation

Orders Pages to be Entered here

The President acquaints the Board he had purposely called this meeting for consider whether the Winchelsea should be sent to Surat as should such a resolution be taken no time ought to be lost, observing that having that having discoursed with Monackjee Nowrojee and other Merchants concerning the Freight Goods They & Proceed thereon the proprietors will readily agree to have them landed, provided we will send them upon the Company's Vessels after the Twins. He therefore proposed that her Cargo be landed here for as the Season is so late it would be a great Vexque to send the Ship to Surat

Adjourned

Wm Wake
Chas Meadows
J Morley
Geo Dudley

Munro

Bombay Castle — April the 26th 1774

Mr. Sigrd by them both were enclosed —

At a Consultation Present —

The Honble William Wake Esqr. President & Governor
The Mr. Chas. Whitehill Esqr. — John Morley
William Sedgwicke — George Dudley
Edward Owen — John Munro
Thomas Marsh } Indisposed
Hugh Howard }

Read the Advices from Bengall, Tellicherry and Mogo received by the Winchelsea, Extracts of which are entered in the Days proceeding this Consultation

The President acquaints the Board he had purposely called this meeting for consider whether the Winchelsea should be sent to Surat as should such a resolution be taken no time ought to be lost, observing that having that having discussed with Monackjee Nowrojee and other Merchants concerning the Freight Goods They agreed them the proprietors will readily agree to have them landed provided we will send them upon the Company's Vessels after the Rains. It is therefore agreed that her Cargo be landed here for as the Season is so late it would be a great Toque to send the Ship to Surat

Adjourned

W. Wake,
Chas Whitehill
J. Morley
Geo Dudley

Munro

Bombay Castle — April the 26th 1742

M 172
M 171

No. 1 signed by them both were enclosed.

At a Consultation Present

The Honble William Wake Esqr President & Governor
The Hon. Chas Mitchell Esqr — John Morley
William Sedgwicke — George Dudley
Edward Owen — John Munro
Thomas Morse } Indisposed
Hugh Horsford }

Read the Advices from Bengall, Tellicherry and Mangalore received by the Winchelsea, Extracts of which are entered in the Diary preceding this Consultation.

Silver Cargo to be landed here

The President acquaints the Board he had purposely called this meeting for consider whether the Winchelsea should be sent to Surat as should such a resolution be taken no time ought to be lost, observing that having that having discoursed with Monackjee Nowrojee and other Merchants concerning the Freight Goods They assured him the proprietors will readily agree to have them landed provided we will send them upon the Company's Vessels after the Twins. Its therefore agreed that her Cargo be landed here for as the Season is so late it would be a great Risque to send the Ship to Surat.

Monackjee Nowrojee

Adjourned

W. Wake
Chas Mitchell
Morley
Geo Dudley

Munro

Bengal Castle, April the [illegible]

Friday the 27th. A Court of Directors present

The Honble William Baker Esq. President [illegible]
The Honble Chas. Whitehill Esq. John Hoare
William Sedgwick Esq. Sir Geo. Prendergast
Edward Owen Esq. Thos. Hanbury
Thos. Hewett Esq. [illegible]

Cos. Lord — Read a Letter from Lord [illegible] Chief and Factors at Surat advising their [illegible] of Jos. Wright the Mind [illegible] and the [illegible] received with their Letter have the freight [illegible] at the [illegible] Letter [illegible] on receipt of the Company's Letter [illegible].

Lt. Col. McGregor — A Letter being [illegible] Lt. Col. McGregor [illegible] Symmons [illegible] conformable to the instructions of the 16th Instant. His expenses [illegible] agreed.

Mess. Sedgwick and Owen delivered a Report of the Committee [illegible] the 20th Instant, which is read and Entered hereafter.

Mr. Whitehill applied to complain [illegible] — Directed that Mr. Thos. [illegible] receive from Mr. John Morley the Charge of Accounts [illegible] with the Several Books and Accounts belonging [illegible] Office. —

The Warehouse Keeper [illegible] his having received from Trustees Dungeness [illegible] of Batty to the amount of one thousand two hundred and [illegible] (£1200) That sum is Ordered to be [illegible] out of the Treasury. —

Accounts to Office — Examined and Passed the following Accounts for last Month. —

The Lord and Warehouse Keeper [illegible] their Accounts of Disbursements are entered hereafter

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Bengal Castle — April 1[illegible]

Friday — 27th — Water silted on Board

The Honble William Hare Esq President
The Worp[l] Chas Whitehill Esq — Mess[rs] Harry
William Fedgwicke — [illegible]
" Edward Owen — [illegible]
Thomas Hewitt Barnes

Land Sale

Vouchers signed & the Chief Factor at Surat advising the arrival not to send up the Hirondelle without regard to a pre[illegible] with those to have the freight [illegible] that they may be landed here and sold at the best their assigns on account of the Company [illegible]. —

Letter Synnimons

A Letter being received from Synnimons at Scanderoy consequentable to the [illegible] 16th Instant. Was approved and signed. —

Mess[rs] Fedgwicke & Owen

Mess[rs] Fedgwicke & Owen have a Report of the Committee as that in Consult the 28th Instant, which read and Entered in [illegible]

Mr Whitehill app[ointed] Comptr

Directed that Mr Barnes receive from Mr Robert Morley the Charge of all concerns with the Several Books and Records appertaining to [illegible] Office. —

The President reported to the [illegible] having received from Tooffee Dungwall [illegible] of Batty to the amount of one thousand [illegible] (1200) That sum is Ordered to be discharged out of the [illegible]. —

Accounts Exp[ed]

Examined and Passed the following Accounts for last Month. —

The Land and Warehouse [illegible] Accounts of Disbursement as entered here [illegible]

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Bompas Castle — April the

Friday — 27th — At a Committee Present

The Honble William Wake Esq President
Chas. Whitehill Esq
William Sedgwicke
Edward Owen
Thomas Hewish Esq

Mr Hurst

Could not attend, but
Christopher Fowler at Great Ormesby on Sunday last
not to send up the Winchester Coach
proceed with the extraordinary the freight Packets
that they may be landed here and sent up after the
their usual on account of the Company's Service. —

Mr Simmons

A Letter being read to Mr
Simmons at Sandy conformable to Minutes bearing date
the 16th Instant, His assurance was entered. —

Messrs Sedgwicke and Owen
delivered a Report of the Coaches for as Orders entered
the 28th Instant, which was read and Entered hereafter.

Mr Whitehill applied
a complaint

Directed that Mr Hurst
receive from Mr John Morley the Charge of Accounts
with the Journal Books and Accounts at the Office. —

The Warehouse keeper to
be having received from Doctor Dungworth Esq
of Bath to the amount of one Thousand ten pounds
(1200) That sum is ordered to be discharged out of the Fund
up. —

Accounts Examined

Examined and Passed the
following Accounts for last Month. —

The Land and Manure Dep
ses their Accounts of Disbursements as entered hereafter,

The

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Bombay Castle April the 29th

Friday — 29th — At a Consultation Present

The Honble William Hake Esq President & Governor

The Hon.ble Chas. Whitehill Esq. — John Horley

William Sedgwicke — George Dudley

— Hugh Woodward

Edward Owen — John Mercer

Thomas Marsh Junior

Lee Pavat

Received and Signed a Letter to the Chief and Factors at Surat advising them of our Resolution not to send up the Warehouse and that they endeavour to prevail with those to whom the freight Goods are consigned that they may be landed here and sent up after the Duties are Paid on same of the Company's Effects. —

Mr. Symmons

A Letter being prepared to Mr. Thos. Symmons at Surat in conformable to the resolution of Consn. the 16th Instant This is approved and signed. —

Messrs. Sedgwicke and Marsh delivered a Report of the Lodgment as ordered in Consultation the 22d Instant, Which is read and Entered hereafter. —

Mr. Whitehill appointed Accountant

Directed that Mr. Thos. Hall receive from Mr. John Horley the Charge of Accounts with the Several Books and Accounts appertaining to the Office. —

The Warehouse Keeper reported his having received from Rooji Dungiall Sattee Gun of Bally to the amount of one thousand two hundred rupees (1200) That sum is Ordered to be discharged out of the Treasury. —

Accounts Exd.

Examined and Passed the following Accounts for last Month. —

The Land and Marine Paymasters Their Accounts of Disbursements as entered hereafter

The

Bengeworth April

Friday — 4th — Ins Committee on Present

The Honble William Hale Esq[r] Chairman
Messrs Chas: Whitehill Esq[r] John Hall
William Sedgwick Geo[r] Hilton
Joseph Stokes
Edward Owen John Hope
Thomas Hewitt Esq[r]

Land —

Heard and Examined the Chief and Factors at Sea at attending Their Employers not to send up the Merchandise and Shipping provided with Thereto have the freight Books and Shipping may be forwarded Immediately Before this Board an Answer of the Enquiries &c. —

Mr Simmons

A Letter be wrote to Mr Simmons at Sandy Corporation Table Bill &c. of the 16th Instant His Answer considered. —

Mess[rs] Sedgwick and Owen delivered a Report of the Committee Last Committee the 28th Instant, Which is read and Entered &c.

Mr Whitehill appointed to complain.

Directed that Mr Thomas receive from Mr John Hedley the Charge of the Warehouse with the Journal Books and Accounts &c. in the Office. —

The Warehouse Keeper &c. being received from Mr Jos[e] Dunyard Late of Bally to the amount of one Thousand two hundred Dollars (1200) That sum is Ordered to be deducted out of the Wages up. —

Accounts Paid —

Examined and Passed the following Accounts for Last Month. —

The Land and Marine Stores Their Accounts of Disbursements are entered here &c.

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TOTAL EXPOSURES

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

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Bonitzer Castle

Honble Sir & Bro

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Hon. Sir's Order Rep. [illegible]
[illegible]

In Obedience to the [illegible] I have the Hon.ble Honour to enter this Castle on [illegible] I waited on the Chief to whom I communicated the Purport of Instructions & desired he would make [illegible] such Persons as there might be occasion for, [illegible] Heard and as neither the Duration of the Siege nor extent of the Accounts were communicated to me, [illegible] particular I sent for the [illegible] & the [illegible] Carpenter who accompanied me [illegible] before your Honour & Council [illegible]

The greatest [illegible] Stores found very much exhausted & only the Remains of the Stores Veranda & flag Staff are done. Other Work & provided for Alteration and Repairs as are not enclosed in the [illegible] Calculation [illegible]

The Roof of one of the upper Rooms of the Chief's Apartments is new tenpled [illegible]

There is a small Dressing with a tenpled Floor, a new Sash Door, a new Door & Window opened & Partition for a Veranda, One Room tenpled & another enlarged by carrying out a Window Front in old Tiedure apartments.

In the Ladies Rooms Veranda an [illegible] into two new Rooms & the Sash Door mentioned [illegible] also one end which is so [illegible] to the [illegible] the Chief's Kitchen almost entirely rebuilt [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] been [illegible] & [illegible] there are new Room on the upper Tenpled [illegible] & [illegible] Hall with Plastering in an old Stair [illegible] the whole amounting to Rupees 2331 14 [illegible] particular Account [illegible]

The Roof over the [illegible] Rooms seems to have been absolutely necessary as I was informed [illegible] Rain fell this so as to render it uninhabitable. The Room of the Sadder Room does not to have been repaired so as the [illegible] Rain either Cracked or broken by [illegible] have been a Partition Wall which I supposed [illegible]

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Copy of a Letter to his Report
Fort Sudong

Bombay Castle [illegible]

Honble Sir & Sirs

In Obedience to the Orders received from your Honrs Council under the 10th Ult. on [illegible] I waited on the Chief to whom I Communicated the Purport of your Instructions & desired he would to issue such Orders as were Persons as Mass might be necessary for, [illegible] desired. and as another the Direction of the People in charge of the Accounts were committed to some of the Gentlemen in particular I sent for the Mr Hartley & the [illegible] Mr Carpenter who accompanied me in the drawing [illegible] before your Honours & Council.

The greatest part of Bombay Castle I found very much excited & only the Ramparts, the Bastion Veto Parade & Flag Staff all done. I have therefore provided some Alterations and Repairs as are not included in the Estimate calculated [illegible].

The Roof of one of the upper Rooms of the Chief's Apartments is now terraced. [illegible]

There is a small Dressing Room with a terraced Floor, a new Stair Case, a new Door & Window opened, a Portico for a Veranda, Bath Room terraced & another enlarged by carrying out a Wooden Front in the Chief's Bedroom apartments.

In the Mr Hunters two Rooms are converted into two new Rooms & the Stair Case removed. There also one End which is said to be common to the Mr Hunters & the Chief's Kitchen almost entirely rebuilt.

A double Verandah in the [illegible] in good part has been pulled down and new upon Pillars in new Room on the upper Terrace of the Chief's Hall with Plastering in an old Warehouse the Expence of the whole amounting to Rupees 2531 [illegible] as appears by the particular Account.

The Repairs of the Mr Hopes Bungalow seems to have been absolutely necessary as I was informed the Rain fell thro' so as to render it uninhabitable, the Roof of Mr Sadlers Room seems to have been equally so as the Ceiling was either Cracked or broken by constructing thro' it a Partition Wall which supported [illegible]

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Rent Roll with Report of Grand Tolsey

Bomtrees Castle. [illegible] 1796

Honble Sir & Sirs

In Obedience to the Orders issued from your Honrs Council under the 10th Ult. on [illegible] I waited on the Chief to whom I communicated the Purport of your Instructions & desired he would to assist with the Gentlemen two Persons as Masons might be [illegible] for [illegible] Repairs. and as neither the Direction of the Repairs nor the Care of the Accounts were committed to any of the [illegible] in particular I sent for the [illegible] Masons & the [illegible] Carpenter who accompanied me in the Business [illegible] before your Honrs Council [illegible]

The greatest part of the proposed Repairs Specified very well executed & only the Wrought of the Chapel Veranda & Flag Staff is done. I shall therefore proceed to the Alterations and Repairs as are not included in the Lists calculated upon.

The Roof of one of the upper Rooms of the Chief's Apartments is now tenanted [illegible]

There is a separate Dressing with a terrace Floor, a new Door & Window opened, a Portico for a Veranda, Bedroom terraced & another extended by carrying out a Wooden Front in Mr Faidlers apartments.

In Mr Fraser's two Verandas are converted into two new Rooms & the Stairs [illegible] there also one End which is said to commend to the [illegible] Rooms. the Chief's Kitchen almost entirely rebuilt.

A wooden Bridge in the Garden of Fort has been pulled down and mend again. There is a new Room on the upper Story of the Vault and a partition Wall with Paintering in an Mr Hutchinson the Charge of the whole amounting to Rupees 2594 th as appears by the particular Account.

The Repairs of Mr Pepper's Bungalow seems to have been absolutely necessary as I was informed the Rain fell thro so as to render it uninhabitable, the Roof of Mr Faidlers Room seems to have been equally so as the Flat Roof was either Cracked or broken by unskilfully throwing a Partition Wall which is supposed [illegible]

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Book of the Public Roads & Civil Factory

Bombay Castle, [illegible] 1785

Honble Sir & Sirs

In Obedience to the Orders received from Your Honors under the 10th ult. on [illegible] I waited on the Chief to whom I Communicated the Purport of Your Instructions & desired he would to Have such Repairs Done & such Persons as there might be occasion for, [illegible] & obtained. and as neither the Direction of the Repairs or the Care of the Accounts were considered to come of the Go[illegible] on particular I sent for the [illegible] & the [illegible] Carpenter who accompanied me to the Place [illegible] before your Honors & Council.

The greatest part of the proposed Repairs were very well executed & only the Ringfence of the Chapel Veranda & Flag Staff are done; I have therefore proceeded to the Alterations and Repairs as are not included in the Orders & calculated inclosed.

The Roof of one of the upper Rooms of the Chief's Apartments is now terraced Over —

There is a small Bungalow with a terraced Floor, and Bricks, a new Door & Window opened, a Portico for a Veranda, Bathroom terraced & another enlarged by carrying out a Wooden Front on the Factors Apartments

In the Factory two Verandas are converted into two new Rooms & the Roof fore [illegible] There also one end which is used as Commons to the Gentlemen & the Chief's Kitchen almost entirely rebuilt (—)

A double Verandah in the [illegible] Yard has been pulled down and used again There is a new Room on the upper Story of the Roof and a partition Wall with Plastering in the Warehouse the Expence of the whole amounting to Rupees 2534 4 as appears by the particular Account —

The Repairs do. Rupees [illegible] seem to have been absolutely necessary as I was informed the Rain fell thro so as to render it uninhabitable, the Room of the Factory seems to have been equally so as the Roof Over was either Cracked or broken by consequently there is no Partition Wall which I apprehend [illegible] (—)

TOTAL EXPOSURES

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